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NATIONS FACING A GRAVE PROBLEM

SAMGAN SITUATION THREATENS RUPTURE OF PEACE.

German Consul's Act Was in Violation of Tripartite Agreement—The Emperor Has Been Coveting South Sea Islands—Will Not Be Able to Cope with Allies.

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—The attitude of Germany in Samoa is being gravely discussed by prominent statesmen. All agree that the situation is critical. Secretary Hay, the British ambassador, and the secretery of the German legation are holding conferences.

Berlin, Jan. 20—[Special]—The German press makes no comment on the Samoan disturbances. It is stated that Germany does not desire to gain control of the islands, but fears the present trouble will lead to complications with the United States.

Berlin, Jan. 20—[Special]—Dispatches received by the government from the German consul at Apia do not explain why Mataafa was chosen king without confirmation by Chief Justice Chambers, or why Herr Raffel, president of the municipal council, closed the supreme court. The Berlin government considers the press reports incorrect, and awaits further advices to decide on a line of action. This, it is said, will be without prejudice to other powers. It is believed Germany's position in the affair will be found to be correct.

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—Advices from Consul Dillingham at Auckland regarding the Samoan trouble were received by Secretary Hay this morning. The purport of them was that the German government is at the bottom of the distrbances.

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—The president and cabinet are convinced of the officiousness of Raffel. Whether he had any instructions from his government or not he is responsible for the present serious situation in Samoa. The cabinet decided to instruct our ambassador to Germany to join in a conference with representatives of the three governments concerned with a view to adjusting the trouble.

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—The trouble in Samoa, sprung so suddenly into public notice, has not been unexpected in official circles. For a long time past the movements of the German consul at Apia and of the German fleet in Samoan waters, have been the cause of some solicitude. The fact that both Great Britain and the United States acted so promptly and in unison upon receipt of the first intelligence of trouble shows conclusively that the necessity for such action had been anticipated and an understanding had been arrived at long ago.

The tripartite agreement under which Samoa has been governed for many years embraced Great Britain, the United States and Germany. President Cleveland sought to terminate it, but congress refused to acquiesce in his recommendation. For years Germany has assumed more than her share of authority in the South Seas. The young emperor has been desirous of extending the colonial possessions of his empire, and the South Seas seemed to offer the opportunity sought. But the representatives of the other powers were on their guard, and, as results have proved, were able to check the first move towards German usurpation of power. The consul of the emperor sought to install as king in the supreme judge, Chambers, immediately upon the exile of the late king. The British and American consuls, however, were equal to the emergency, and promptly turned the intruder out, although they had to break in the door of the court room to do so.

Whether or not Germany will resent the indignity thus put upon her representative a short time will determine. The advices from Berlin today indicate that the press will exert all the influence it is permitted to wield in favor of an armed protest. But the weakness of the empire gives little hope that any protest will be of avail. England already has a larger naval force in Samoan waters than Germany, and several additional vessels have been dispatched there. The United States has sent two cruisers to the scene, and others are held in readiness to sail at a moment's notice. There is every confidence here that Germany will be compelled to recede or face a war in which the odds will be greatly against her.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The high-handed action taken by Germany in Samoa has impelled the president and the state department to call Germany to account. The press reports of the questionable, if not openly hostile, attitude of Germany at Apia, have produced significant results.

The secretary of state called at the white house at 2 o'clock Thursday and immediately after his return to his office the secretary of the navy telegraphed orders that the Philadelphia proceed at once to Samoa from San Diego, Cal., where the swift cruiser arrived today.

Dispatches were also sent to Admiral Dewey to hold himself in readiness to send some of his vessels there if developments demand it. The action of the president and the demonstration of the navy department show that a crisis has been reached in the relations between America and Germany.

The prompt action of the navy department is due to the fact that the German consul at Apia proclaimed himself dictator. The news was so startling that the secretary of the German embassy informed the state department that the embassy had not been officially informed of the facts, as alleged. Secretary Hay said: "The state department is not fully informed as to the circumstances, but the situation is regarded as serious."

The state department cabled to the Berlin government later in the day what were described as "the proper representations."

Briefly stated, this government understands that Germany has done an act so hostile as to call for a heroic remedy, even though it might ultimately be a declaration of war on Germany, in which America would be backed by Great Britain. Germany is charged with violating the tripartite treaty of Berlin, which makes any action relating to the Samoan islands depending on agreement of the three powers.

She is charged with openly encouraging Mataafa in his efforts to overturn the government constituted by Chief Justice Chambers.

Gemany, it will be recalled, brought Mataafa back to Samoa on one of its war vessels and practically instigated the revolution against the constituted authorities. The present anarchy has resulted.

Germany has taken advantage of the situation, and presumably directed her consul to proclaim himself dictator.

The critical situation lies in this: Great Britain and America must either assert their authority or surrender the islands to Germany, a policy which was advocated by President Cleveland.

The state department has acted on information received from the American consul at Sydney, Australia.

NELSON ON EXPANSION

Minnesota Senator Holds This Government Can Annex by the Usual Means.

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—Senator Nelson addressed the senate on expansion this morning. He held that this government has the power to acquire territory by conquest, treaty, purchase, exploration or discovery.

TRIAL WILL BE PUBLIC

Court Martial for the Trial of General Eagan Will Shortly Be Held.

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—The president today approved the charges and specifications in the case of General Eagan, and returned them to the war department for transmission to the judge advocate of the court and Eagan's counsel. It is said the court martial will be public.

FORECAST OF WEATHER

Chicago, Jan. 20—[Special]—Forecast for Wisconsin:

Threatening, with possible showers, tonight and Sunday.

NEW JUDGE FOR WALWORTH

Judge Wheeler Resigns and Jay F. Lyon Takes His Place

Madison, Wis., Jan. 20—After twenty three years of service, thirteen of which have been spent upon the bench, Judge James B. Wheeler, of Elkhorn, has retired. Judge Wheeler, who has been elected again and again to the county judgeship of Walworth county, came to Madison last night, resigned his position, and his successor was appointed by Gov. Scofield.

The new judge is Jay F. Lyon, whose appointment the retiring jurist strongly recommended. Judge Wheeler retires to change his business entirely.

STICKS TO HIS STATEMENT

Surgeon Dudley Says Embalmed Beef Was Furnished the Army

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—Surgeon Dudley, whose report on "embalmed" beef caused such a sensation, was examined by the war investigators this morning. He said he was willing to stand by his statement.

WILL RECEIVE INSTRCUTIONS

What the Philippine Commissioners Will Be Required to do

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—Instructions to the Philippine commissioners will be handed in today. The commissioners will be especially urged to examine into the annexation and independence sentiments on the island.

Murder and Suicide at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—Driven to desperation by unrequited love, Katy Clancy last night shot John McCafferty, a conducter on the Grand avenue division of the union depot line and then swallowed the contents of a bottle of bichloride of mercury. It is thought both will die.

British Columbia Excludes Aliens.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 20.—The act to prohibit aliens from owning placer mines in British Columbia has finally passed the provincial legislature and received the formal assent of the lieutenant governor. The act goes into effect at once.

HEIRS FIGHTING OVER BELL ESTATE

CLAIM WILL WAS IMPROPERLY EXECUTED.

Janesville Woman Dies Leaving Many Thousands of Dollars For Presbyterian Church Work—Case Now in Court and Will Be Fought to the Bitter End.

Beforge Judge J. W. Sale, of the Rock county court, was this morning heard a most important action, the entitled case being in the matter of the will of the late Mrs. Sarah A. Bell.

For five years Mrs. Bell made her home in this city on Milwaukee avenue, and after a short illness died in 1896. She left a will conveying property to the amount of about $25,000, and it is over this sum that the heirs are now quarreling.

When the case was called this morning a half dozen of the contestants sat about the court room, each with their interested attorney.

According to the evidence submitted it appears that Mrs. Bell, during the greater portion of her life, was a firm believer in the faith of the Presbyterian church, and while a resident of this city seldom missed a Sunday at the services. Prior to moving to Janesville she resided with her husband on one of the best farms in Rock Prairie.

After Mrs. Bell's death her will was opened and then it was found that after leaving Walter Alexander, of Brodhead, an alleged brother, William J. Owen, of Kansas, and other heirs a small portion of her fortune, she willed $1,000 to the Presbyterian church of Rock Prairie and in the neighborhood of $15,000 to the Home and Foreign mission societies of the United Presbyterian church.

It is the leaving of the greater portion of her fortune for church work that the contesting heirs object to. They say certain clauses in the will are not definite enough, and it is mainly on the grounds of validity of the clause that they are now fighting the case.

At the time of Mrs. Bell's death her husband was dead, and she had no living sons or daughters. The property involved consists of a 200 acre Rock county farm as well as cash and mortgages.

After hearing the issues in the case the court held that the petitiohers were not sufficiently interested. A new petition was then filed by Walter Alexander, of Brodhead, on the ground that the original will was not properly executed, and he asked that the same be set aside entirely.

The case was adjourned today, and will be heard at the coming February term.

The following attorneys were on hand this morning:

Angie King, for the executor of the will of J. B. Hume.

Fethers, Jeffris & Mouat, for J. B. Hume in person and as administrators of Agnes Hume.

Sutherland & Nolan, for the Presbyterian church.

Smith & Pierce, for Walter Alexander, interested heir,

E. D. McGowan, for W. J. Oliver and Elizabeth Armstrong, interested heirs.

BRIEFS FROM BELOIT

Line City Boy Dies in Chicago—The Blue Ribboners Elect Officers.

Beloit, Wis., Jan. 20—[Special]—Michael Maloney, of this city, yesterday received a telegram announcing the death of his only son John, at Chicago. It was sudden news to the family, as he just left home three weeks ago to work in Chicago, and they did not know that he was sick, although he had written them that he was not feeling very well. When he went away his mother and sister were just recovering from a long siege of sickness, and the family think that is the reason he did not tell how sick he was. The cause of his death is not yet known. His father and his brother-in-law, Thomas McEnery, went to Chicago last night, and the remains are expected today. He was 32 years of age, and leaves a father, mother and four sisters, Annie, Lizzie, Maggie and Katie. He is well known in this city, having always lived here. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

The Blue Ribboners held a meeting Wednesday night at the First Congregational church. Rev. M. J. Ward gave a very fine address on temperance. Dr. Henry Coleman, of Milwaukee, a former pastor in this city, now field superintendent of the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon league, was present, and spoke a few words endorsing the Blue Ribbon movement. After Mr. Coleman spoke the following officers were elected for the Blue Ribbon club: President, A. F. Ayer; 1st vice president, John Cunningham; 2d vice president, G. H. Horigan; secretary, J. W. Bates; enrolling secretary, Charles Long; treasurer, Albert Bull; assistant treasurer, Mrs. D. Garrigan; trustees, M. S. Meacham, E. Carroll, and Prof. Pearson. There is a great deal of interest shown in this work.

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Take Laxative Bromo Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. T. on each tablet.

ESCAPED BEING BURIED ALIVE

DOOR COUNTY VILLAGERS HAVE A GREAT SENSATION.

Supposed Corpse Comes to Life While Being Prepared for the Grave—Tries to Escape From the House, But is Detained—Was Conscious During the Terrible Ordeal.

Sturgeon Bay, Wis., Jan. 20—[Special]—A remarkable escape from being buried alive happened in the town of Nasewaupee. Jacob Groth, son of Chas. Groth, had been ill for some time, and on the night in question he died to all appearances. The boy was laid out, and neighbors came to the home of the deceased to keep night watch. Just before consigning the remains to the coffin, and before dressing it preparatory thereto, it was deemed advisable to wash the "corpse." While performing this act the supposed dead boy sprang from the cooling board, to the astonishment of all present, and made an effort to escape from the house.

So terribly frightened was everybody that this was nearly accomplished before the assembled persons had recovered their senses. When the boy was caught he was partly out of his head, and it was feared he would lose his reason from the terrible strain.

He says he could hear everything that was going on around him, and realized the terrible predicament he was in. It was the fear of being buried alive that caused him to try and escape when he came out of his trance of forty-eight hours. His recovery is very doubtful.

STEAMER IS OVERDUE

American Liner New York Should Have Arrived at Southampton Wednesday.

New York, Jan. 20—[Special]—Friends of passengers on the American liner New York are anxious over the non arrival of the vessel at Southampton. The steamer was due there Wednesdry. She has on board 172 passengers. The crew numbers 370.

NICHOLAS LOVES PEACE

Perhaps That Is the Reason Why He Has Coerced the Finnish Parliament.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 20—[Special]—As a result of the threat of the Finnish parliament not to vote for an increase in the number of troops furnished the Russian army from Finland, the Czar has sent three regiments to the Finnish capital, and parliament has agreed to pass the measure.

DAVIS ILL WITH FEVER

Novelist is Suffering From Disease Contracted While With the Army in Cuba.

New York, Jan 20—[Special]—Richard Harding Davis, the novelist, is seriously ill with fever contracted in Cuba, where he acted as correspondent for a syndicate of newspapers.

IS UNDOUBTEDLY LOST

All Hope For the Safety of the Missing Yacht Paul Jones Is Abandoned.

Mobile, Jan. 20—[Special]—Members of the Jones and Taggart clubs, who have instituted search for the missing yacht Paul Jones, have accepted the inevitable. The wreckage of the yacht has been fully identified.

STOLE FOR WIFE'S SAKE

Young Bookkeeper Embezzled $20,000 to Add to His Dying Wife's Comfort.

New York, Jan, 20—[Special]—Louis Snure, bookkeeper for a clothing firm, was arrested this morning for embezzling $20,000. He confessed he had taken the money in an endeavor to save the life of his young wife, who is dying of consumption.

WON'T GO IF LEO DOES

Italian Government Will Not Attend Peace Conference if Pope Is Invited.

Rome, Jan. 20—[Special]—The Italian government announces its intention to decline to attend the peace conference if the pope is invited.

Wisconsin Pensions Granted

Washington, Jan. 20—Original—Alexander Ledessimer, Marinette, $6; David Morris, National home, Milwaukee, $8; Paul Cissiner, Rural, $10; Martin Shields, National home, Milwaukee, $8; William Veltch, Tomohawk, $8. Additional—Stillman S. Snow, Auroraville, $2 to $8. Increase—Peter Felio, Grand Rapids, $8 to $10. Original widows, etc.—Marin E. Washburn, Richland Center, $30; Mary D. Downs, Richland Center, $8; Adelheide Lebfeldt, Milwaukee, $12; Jane Denn, Whitcomb, $8.

IS AN ACT OF DISCOURTESY

Neglect of Social Requirement the Cause of Much Annoyance.

More than one Janesville lady who has entertained this winter would be very glad to have it impressed upon her guests that R. S. V. P. has been translated into English and transposed so that it now means "reply very soon, please."

"It is almost impossible to make arrangements for a tea or anything of that nature," said a Janesville hostess a day or two ago," because no one ever thinks of sending acceptances or regrets until the last day in the afternoon. Such a course is not kind to the hostess, and is the source of much embarrassment. It would be a blessing if some reformer would come along and straighten up this abuse."

YEAR'S PREMIUMS SHOW FALLING OFF

LOCAL INSURANCE AGENCIES FILE FIGURES.

Compared to the Business Done in 1897 the Premiums and Amount of Percentage That Falls to Fire Police Is Less—City Treasurer Fathers Completes Report.

Fire insurance agencies have boen doing a good business in the local field during the year just past, and interesting figures in the hands of City Treasurer Fathers fully verify the fact. Janesville during 1898 experienced but few fires where the insurance companies lost heavily, and as a whole business in the Bower City for 1898 has proved a regular bonanza.

The amount of premiums for the year just passed is less than those for 1897 by several dollars, which make the two per cent, dividend to the fire police company less than in 1897.

During the year 1897 the total amount of premiums amounted to $50,508.31 compared to $47,132.81 for 1898. The local fire police company are entitled to a two per cent divident of this, which leaves them $942.42 for 1898 compared to $1,010.12 for 1897.

Following is the amount of premium business and two per cent basis received by the fire police as written by the agencies in this field for 1898:

J. H. Burns	$ 41 00	$2
Miller's National Insurance Co.	314 00	6 28
L. R. Trout	331 95	6 63
C. W. Van Aiken	358 50	7 17
Max Pfennig	859 20	17 18
Pfennig & Strauss	1259 87	25 20
H. H. Blanchard	1684 30	33 69
Simon Strauss	1800 11	36 00
H. A. Moeser	2032 49	40 56
O. S. Morse	3339 18	66 77
C. S. Cleland	4277 76	85 55
Hayner & Beers	11,925 59	238 49
Carter & Haselton	18,908 86	378 08
Total	$47,132 81	$942 42

GOT GOODLY BOODLE

Bank Robbers Clear Three Thousand Dollars At Arthur, Ill., Last Night.

Arthur, Ill., Jan 20—[Special]—The City Rank was entered by robbers late last night, who blew the safe and escaped with three thousand dollars.

PRECISELY AS USUAL

An Expedition to Search For Andree Will Start Out In the Spring.

London, Jan. 20—[Special]—An expedition is being organized to search for Andree in the spring.

NUMBERED AMONG THE SICK

Grip Still Seems To Hold Its Own In This City

Manager Slater, of the Wisconsin Telephone company, is able to be out.

Register of Deeds O. D. Rowe is still numbered among those afflicted.

Mrs. I. C. Brownell is suffering with a severe case of pneumonia, and a trained nurse is necessary.

Mrs. F. C. Burpee, who has been dangerously ill, continues to show gradual improvement.

William Kath, who was badly injured by falling at the People's Ice company's house, is slowly improving.

Cash with French Decorations.

Apropos of the Legion of Honor, it may not be generally known that a certain stipend is attached to the same. The number of persons who at the present moment are entitled to this monetary payment reaches a total of 30,305, divided as follows: Thirty-five grand crosses, 172 grand officers, 812 commanders, 3,964 officers and 25,322 chevaliers. The holders of the grand crosses each receive £120 per annum, the grand officers £80, the commanders £40, officers £20 and chevaliers receive a modest £10 per annum. Although these sums do not seem very large, the Legion of Honor costs the country a matter of over 9,000,000 francs, or £360,000 per annum. Military medals in France also carry with them a certain annual monetary payment, and some 51,000-odd medalists cost the government over £200,000 per annum.—Paris Messenger.

There's a Joke Here Somewheres.

Amoris—"If I leave thee, I die." Phyllis—"Leave thy fortune, then." Amoris—"Thou art my fortune." Phyllis—"Then leave me."—Pick-Me-Up.

NO CHOICE YET MADE FOR SENATOR

THREE BALOTS TAKEN IN CAUCUS THIS MORNING.

Candidates All Hold Their Own When Absentees Are Taken Into Account—Bill for the Protection of Forests—Licenses for Marriages to be Required.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 20—[Special]—The introduction of half a dozen bills constituted the work done in the session of the legislature this morning.

In the senate a bill prepared by the State Forestery commission for the protection and preservation of Wisconsin forests was introduced by Mr. Stout and referred to the special Forestry commission.

Another bill, by Mr. Roher, puts the Milwaukee register of deeds on a salary instead of the fee system, making the salary $4,000, all fees to be paid by the county.

Mr. Bennett introduced a bill providing for the adjudication of Wisconsin's claim against the United States for swamp lands.

In the assembly Mr. Thomas introduced a bill providing for an annual tax of 3 per cent. on the gross earnings of express companies in the state. Mr. True presented a bill requiring license for marriages. The bill conforms with the Illinois law. The license fee is $1.50.

Mr. Orton presented a bill providing that when a child under two years is taken into a family, and remains five years without objection from its parents, the latter shall have no further claim on it. Both houses adjourned till Monday night.

The senatorial caucus met at 11. Three ballots were taken without change, except that Bissell, a Babcock man, and Hople, a Stephenson man, were absent. Today's ballots stood: Quarles, 41; Stephenson, 23; Cook 17, Babcock, 16; Webb, 10. The caucus adjourned till Monday night.

TEXAS TRAIN WRECK

Sunset Limited Wrecked, a Number of Persons Killed and Twenty Injured.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 20—[Special]—The sunset limited was wrecked this morning near La Coste, Tex. It is reported that the engineer and several passengers were killed, and twenty injured.

The wreck was caused by a misplaced switch. Engineer McCullough was the only person killed. The firemen were fatally scalded.

CAFFERY TAKES A HAND

Wants a Whole Lot of Information About the Philippines and Their People.

Washington, Jan. 20—[Special]—Mr. Caffery, of Louisiana, introduced a resolution in the senate today, calling on the president for information relative to the inhabitants of the Philippines, and to state how many islands are under control of the United States troops.

PETITIONS FREELY SIGNED

Many in This City Are After Lower Railroad Rates.

At the local hotels petitions are being freely signed by commercial travelers and other residents of the state, the purpose being to present the same to the legislature of the state of Wisconsin, praying for the enactment of a law at the present session requiring all railroads doing business in the state to provide and offer for sale a one thousand mile ticket at a price not to exceed $20.

The petitions are being liberally signed here, but what effect they will have on the legislature remains to be seen.

Unlike the Chicago Fair.

"It appears," remarked Mr. Bellefield, "that the Omaha exposition is quite a success, although I expected it to be an utter failure."

"Why did you expect it to be a failure?" asked Bloomfield.

"It has no board of lady managers."—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Dangerous Delay.

The Candidate—I wish I'd let my whiskers start sooner when I let 'em out to catch the farmer vote.

His Manager—What is the trouble?

"They have just reached a length where I get chased out of nine farmyards in ten for a hobo."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Keen Sense of Humor.

Bill Stumps (bursting in upon the wife of his bosom)—I say, M'ria, 'ere's a lark! Your mother's jest sprained 'er ankle an is a-settin on the doorstep—can't move—an there's a mad dog a-comin up the street as 'ard as 'e can tear! Ain't it a game?—Ally Sloper.

Dissatisfied.

"What's the matter with the Chinese emperor?" inquired Li Hung Chang.

"Oh, he's sulking again!" answered the empress dowager. "He says his latest obituary notice wasn't nearly complimentary enough."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS

Gathered By The Gazette's Correspondents.

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W. W. Clarke, Manager.
Milton, Wis., Jan 20, 1899.

Du Lac Lodge, I. O. O. F., and the Rebekahs are to have a banquet on the 30th inst. The Aid society of the Congregational church are to serve the supper in their church parlors and the "three linkers" are anticipating an enjoyable evening.

Prof. D. W. Shaw, of the theological department of Alfred, (N. Y.,) university, arrived in town Tuesday evening and is on the sick list at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shaw. He reports much sickness at Alfred both in the university and village.

Rev. S. H. Babcock, of Albion, was in town this week, being called here by the illness of his son-in-law, Dr. Mark Brown, who is having an attack of bladder trouble, complicated with grip.

F. C. Dunn returned to his business duties Wednesday, having gotten the better of the grip.

Mrs. Ray Rice, of Jefferson, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gifford, this week.

Detective Wallace Bullis, of the Chicago Police force, son of J. I. Bullis, of this place, was injured this week while assisting to stop a runaway horse in that city. Fortunately his injuries are not dangerous.

Ed Rice and Mrs. J. C. Lane, of Merrill Park, left Wednesday night for Cannon Falls, Minn., to visit relatives.

Evangelist Saunders has gone to Jackson Center, Ohio, where he will assist in a series of meetings conducted by the pastor of the Seventh Day Baptist church, Rev. A. G. Crofoot.

Gov. Scofield has our thanks for bound copies of his message and addresses.

Phil. Brown is at Fort Atkinson at work, but expects to resume business here again.

J. P. Thompson, of Janesville, shook hands with Milton friends Tuesday.

R. Richardson visited his son, Rev. Frank C. Richardson, at Shopiere, this week.

Dr. E. D. Roberts, of Janesville, made us a pleasant call Thursday while in town on professional business.

Druggist Clarke is booked to deliver his lecture "On The Stone Age," at Genesee, next month.

Ralph Marquart cut his hand seriously Thursday by having it come in contact with a hay knife.

J. D. Clarke returned from Monticello, Thursday.

Dunn, Boss & Co. and W. P. Clarke are going to light their places of business with the Welsbach system of gasoline burners.

Afton

Afton, Jan. 20—The exercises held at the Baptist church on Thursday of last week, marking the entry of Rev. William Todd into the ranks of Baptist ministers were of an interesting an varied nature and well attended despite the unpropitious weather. The churches of the Janesville association were represented by the following delegates: Afton, A. R. Waite, C. G. Antisdel; Albany, Rev. P. S. Rogers; Beloit, Prof. C. A. Hutchins; Brodhead, Rev. J. J. Kett, Arthur Gist; Clinton, Rev. T. J. Parsons; Janesville, Rev. A. C. Kempton, W. H. Rose; Juda, Rev. J. Andereck, J. L. Roderick. Orfordville and Union were not represented. The state missionary of Wisconsin Baptist convention, Rev. D. W. Hulburt, was also present and was elected moderator of the council, with Rev. P. S. Rogers as clerk. The examination of the candidate occupied the afternoon session, In view of the fact that Mr. Todd had previously been ordained on the occasion of his entering the ministry in the Primitive Methodist denomination. it was decided to have only services of recognition and in accordance therewith the following was the evening program: Scripture reading and sermon, Rev. J. Andereck; hand of fellowship, Rev. T. J. Parsons; charge of the candidate, Rev. P. S. Rogers; charge to the church, Rev. J. J. Kett; prayer and closing remarks, Rev. D. W. Hulburt; benediction, Rev. William Todd. Among visitors present were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crossman, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith and G. A. Crossman, all of Janesville. Owing to inclement weather, the comedy given by the Turtle young people at Lawton's hall, last Friday evening, was only fairly attended. William M. Lawton, of Chicago, was in town a short time, Wednesday. He says it seems good to get back in the great metropolis of the northwest to live. The following committees have been named to have charge of the various branches of work in the Baptist Y. P. S. C. E. for the ensuing six months: Lookout, Mary L. Bolte, A. S. Waite, Mary Watts, Josie Antisdel, Alice Humphrey; prayer meeting, U. G.-Waite, Hattie A. Miller, Sarah Z. Drafahl; social, W. J. Millner, Virginia A. Scott, U. G. Waite, Nellie McCrea, Etta Otis; flower, Jessie McCrea, Eda Uehling, Mattie Waite, Grace Antisdel, Bessie Seales; missionary, Cora B. Osgood, Alice E. Eldridge, David Throne; music, A. R. Waite, F. C. Miller, May Humphrey; relief, J. F. Bolte, Matilda Lemmerhirt, Anna Matthews; temperance, Myrtle McCrea, W. J. Miller, Emma A. Waite; ushers, W. J. Miller, U. G. Waite. At this writers the hunters of Afton and vicinity are out in opposing forces under command of Captains F. Holzapfel and E. Waters to see which side can bag the game which will score the most points. The successful side will partake of an oyster supper at Nellie McCrea's, for which the losers will settle. Results will be given next week.

Clinton

Clinton, Jan. 20—Hon. S. S. North rope and Byron Snyder went to Milton Junction, Wednesday to attend the farmers' meeting. J. R. Helmer was taken seriously ill Tuesday morning, but is improving, and will be out again in a few days. Miss Mina Gilbert returned from her Janesville visit, Wednesday. Eddie Engbertsen is learning telegraphy at the St. Paul office. Rev. W. P. Leek returned from Lyons, to which place he was called in an official capacity. The remains of Charles B. Dow arrived yesterday at noon from Madison, and were interred in the cemetery here. Deceased was for many years a resident of this village, but for the past eight years has made his home in Madison. He leaves a wife and one son, C. M. Dow, of Madison, ex-assistant state treasurer. Mrs. Ira C. Enders, who was found dead in her bed at her home in Delavan, was buried yesterday. She leaves a husband and son, Emory Enders, of Bradford. Mr. and Mrs. Enders lived for many years on a farm a few miles east of this place F. R. Scott was in Chicago the first of the week with live stock. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Simons attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Enders, at Delavan, Tuesday. Baled chips from planing mills largely take the place of saw dust for packing ice here. Mrs. Roy Smith arrived Wednesday, Mrs. Minnie Baker returned to her home in Whitewater this week, having been detained here by sickness. A. B. Rogers is no better, but is rather failing if anything. C. G. Hamilton, who was recovering from the grip suffered a relapse and his condition is now serious. Spelling match at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Tuesday evening. Winner to get a dozen photographs. Miss Fanny Woodard will probably do her corresponding on a typewriter hereafter as she has a new one—the only one in town we believe. Mrs. O. Harden is quite sick at present. Mr. Harden is still unable to get out. The firemen are to have new rubber suits, something they have been in need of since the company was organized. Mr. R. W. Cheever and Chester Smith are in New York state on a visit. Mr. Cheever expects to go this week also. The next meeting of the Tourist club to be held Monday evening will consist of a musical entertainment given by local talent.

Fairfield.

Fairfield, Jan. 20—Mr. D. L. Kane has secured the services of Mr. Simonson, of Sharon, as blacksmith. This week preparations were begun for placing a new boiler in the creamery and factory will soon be opened to the patrons. Mrs. John Dykeman visited Delavan relatives last week. Mr. and Mrs. Will Duthie entertained a large card party last Friday evening. Miss Bertha Clark has been spending several days with her aunt, Mrs. McKee, of Delavan. Wilson More and son, Robbie, have been sufferers with the grip. We are pleased to report an improvement in the health of Mr. Abner Chamberlain. He has been visiting relatives at Darien the past week. Mr. James Cutter received word on Monday of the death of his uncle, Mr. Harvey Joiner, who was a former resident of this vicinity and a man highly esteemed by all. Mrs. Ira Enders, whose death occurred at Delavan last Saturday, resided in and near this place for many years and was well known. Besides a husband she leaves one son, Emery, who resides in the town of Bradford. Mr. Dykeman, of Nebraska, is visiting his uncle, J. B. Monroe.

Emerald Grove

Emerald Grove, Jan. 20—The funeral services of the late Harvey R. Joiner was held in the Congregational church, of this city, on Tuesday, at 10:30 a. m. Deceased was an old resident of the town of La Prairie, and died at the home of his son in Lake City, Minn., aged 84 years. He leaves two sons to mourn his loss, Stanley Joiner, of LaPrairie, and Adin Joiner, of Lake City, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. Adin Joiner accompanied the remains from Minnesota. Mrs. Vina Gentles, of Whitewater, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Butler, this week. Miss Oleson, of Janesville, was the guest of Mrs. Doubleday, Jr., for a few days. Mrs. Butler spent part of this week in Janesville with her son Arthur. We understand that two of our young men thought they were racing this week. We did not learn who came out ahead, but understand that one of the "Charlies" came out behind with a few bruises. and the third party, who was along, tried to find a suitable position to act as judge but they didn't give him time. May Barlass has been suffering with the grip. Her mother is still confined to the house. Mrs. Bundy is also under the doctor's care. Mrs. Charles Doubleday entertained a number of young people at her home on Tuesday evening, in honor of her friend, Miss Oleson. Rev. Mr. Dennis was called to Evansville this week by the death of his father. We understand that one of our popular young men has purchased a handsome new surrey. How is it girls?

Hanover.

Hanover, Jan. 20—Grip has made its appearance in this village, and attendance at school has been lessened. J. Jackson's whole family, also F. O. Uhling's, have been prostrated with it, but are recovering. Mrs. H. C. Mueller spent Monday in the city. Master Willie Brown, who has been very sick with congestion of the brain, is able to be out. The remains of Mrs. Ostrander, mother of J. B. Ostrander, of this place, were brought here from Waukesha. Services were held at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. W. E. Walters, the interment being in Plymouth cemetery, beside her husband. Mrs. Ostrander was an old resident of this town, and was eighty-six years old. The pall bearers were J. J. Kendall, J. B. Vanalstine, S. Scidmore, John Ellis, T. Hemmingway and F. L. Dean. Marie Camp No. 310 R. N. A. held a public installation of officers Tuesday evening, to which Willowdale Camp M. W. A. and families were invited. Mrs. Mary Vanhise acted as installing officer, and the following officers were installed: Mrs. F. B Child, oracle; Mrs. Mamie Mathias, vice oracle; Mrs. Etta Kegler, chancellor; Miss Lizzie Scidmore, marshal; Mrs. E. G. Brown, recorder; Mrs. Della Hoover, inner sentinel; Mrs. Emma Uhling, manager. A banquet was served, to which all did full justice. H. C. Dettimer has received the lumber for his new barn. The Hanover Cornet band will hereafter hold meetings over William Lentz's blacksmith shop.

Shopiere.

Shopiere, Jan. 20—The remains of Mrs. James Chamberlain was interred in the Shopiere cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. The funeral service was held at Janesville at the residence of Dr. James Mills, Mrs. Mills being the only child of Mr. and Mrs. James Chamberlain. Rev. F. C. Richardson, of the M. E. church in this place, officiated. The animated pictures which were exhibited here three evenings proved to be very entertaining. There was a good audience each night, and all felt well repaid for coming. S. Capron and a number of his pupils drove over to the show on Tuesday evening. The genial face of Daniel Spicer was seen on our streets on Wednesday, if pending negotiations will succeed we shall probably have Mr. Spicer and his amiable wife to reside among us again. There is no use in trying to record the names of the people who have the grip. It keeps Dr. Manley on the jump to look after them. Miss Williams hopes to be able to take her place in school next week. Parties from Beloit were in our place this week trying to interest our people in a telephone line between Beloit and Shopiere. We needed the presence of Marshal Hogan and his club in this town on Wednesday night. A disgraceful scene would then have been prevented.

South Clinton.

South Clinton, Jan. 20—W. H. Bright, of Fort Atkinson, is here and spent Sunday and Monday at C. J. Dresser's. Mrs. Holgerson was buried Sunday. Rev. Mr. Jenson will move his family to Minnesota in about three weeks. Some of our people heard Dr. Pechuran, of Beloit, leeture at Clinton Sunday evening. The fog and mud caught a freeze. The neighborhood prayer meeting was held at the Patch-Smith home Thursday evening. Grip is raging again. E. L. Benedict, Edwin Dresser and Marion Dresser have each had their turn. Another of the old settlers of South Clinton died last Friday and was buried on Sunday. Mrs. Holgerson came here from Norway with her husband in an early day and has lived to see this portion of Wisconsin settled and improved. Mr. Holgerson died some years ago. One child, a daughter, Mrs. Gunder Larson, who, with her husband and children have always lived in the old home, have cared for the mother who lived to see 91 years. Mrs. Holgerson was a great reader, keeping posted even after she was unable to read for herself. She will be greatly missed from the home circle.

Six Corners

Six Corners, Jan. 20—The ladies of the union will serve a ten cent supper at their social held at the home of E. A. Wilcox on Jan. 22. All are invited. A few sturdy young men willing to work could find steady employment at good wages with farmers near the Corners. W. H. Gray delivered several loads of fat sheep to Janesville parties, Thursday. Frank Snyder made the last payment upon his farm last week and now has his home free from debt and a hundred dollars to spare. Frank says he got what he voted for. Henry Walsh, of Dickens, Iowa, made friends here a visit recently. Mrs. Chas. Stoller, of Johnstown, visited at Elmer Bingham's on Wednesday, Neighbor Yates is missed at the factory these mornings. Mrs. R. S. Howard and Julia Tess are among the recent victims of grip. Mr. Hubbard enjoyed a visit with his brother, who came up from Janesville over Sunday.

Indian Ford.

Indian Ford, Jan. 20 —We hear that Mrs. Janes has sold the creamery to Mr. Bullock. Silas and Florence Hurd have got the chicken pox. Two new members were taken into the lodge and an old one restored last Saturday night. Kittie Chamberlain is out again after a week's illness. Frank Scholl has gone back to his home at Richland Center. His brother Walter is working for Jake Eddy. Louisa Thomas has gone for an extended stay at Hancock. Mr. and Mrs. W. Price attended the funeral of Mrs. David Acheson at Magnolia last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. William Cox have gone for a week's visit with friends in Richland Center. John Parkins, of Breckinridge, Minn., has been visiting his sister, Mrs. E. Shaler in this place.

West Porter.

West Porter, Jan. 20—The party in the Porter Band hall was well attended last Friday evening, although it was a hard night. Tuckwood's orchestra furnished music. All report a pleasant evening. Jesse Earle, of Janesville, spent Saturday and Sunday at the parental home. Claude Danks, of Stoughton, was the guest of relatives Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Pierce spent Sunday at Deedle Dennison's. C. M. Davis was a Janesville caller Saturday. Fred Nesbit, of Beloit, spent Sunday with relatives. Bernard Riley is reported to be slowly improving. Mrs. Martha Davis has begun taking music lessons of Mrs. Lottie Wiggins, of Evansville. W. M. Tolles spent Wednesday at Chicago. Mrs. John Lynn, who accompanied her sister, Mrs. Mary Johnson, to Milwaukee, who is now in the hospital there, returned home Monday and reports her sister as getting along nicely. A number from here attended a party at Miss Dacie Gammon's in Evansville, last Tuesday evening. A good time is reported. Mrs. David Johnson and Mrs. Webster Johnson, of Evansville, visited at Mrs. Josiah Sperry's, Tuesday. Invitations are out for another party in the Porter Band hall, Friday evening, Jan. 27. Fleek's orchestra, of Janesville, is to furnish music.

South Turtle.

South Turtle, Jan. 20—There was a pleasant company at J. A. Crockett's on Saturday last when friends from Illinois and Wisconsin met together. Mrs. D. G. Smith has been taking her turn at the grip. Dr. Crockett, May and Frank were all home Saturday. "What Next" at Turtle Town hall January 20. Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Weirick did not go to Beloit as reported, but have remained at the parental home helping to care for the sick of whom there have been several. Mrs. Moore is some better.

Burr Oak.

Burr Oak, Jan. 20—Everybody is busy stripping tobacco in this vicinity. Lewis Miller, of Janesville, called on friends in the high school a few days ago. The literary society has been organized in Burr Oak, and is now in a flourishing condition. It meets every Thursday evening and will hold its first debate this week. Question, "Was the Spanish American War a Mistake."

Milton's Unrivalled Tribute to Woman.

When Milton wrote those words which stand unrivalled as a tribute to woman: "Grace was in all her steps, heaven in eyes; in all her gesture, dignity and love," he did not have in mind a weak, nervous, sickly, nerve-exhausted and pain-racked woman suffering from female complaints, but one in glow of perfect health and strength. To be a perfect wife or mother every woman should first of all see that she is in good health This is certainly not difficult at the present day, when such an eminent specialist in the treatment of female diseases as Dr. Greene, of 148 State street, Chicago, Ill., who undoubtedly has the largest practice and the greatest success in curing all forms of female weakness and diseases, can be consulted free and his advice and counsel obtained by any woman absolutely without charge, either by calling or writing about her case. From his enormous experience he knows just how to cure your complaints. just how to advise you, and he uses only harmless vegetable medicines which are wonderful in soothing, healing, strengthening and invigorating the female system. One of his grand discoveries, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, is known and used all over the world, and he has discovered many other medicines no less marvelous in their curative effects. No woman afflicted with female troubles or who is out of health in any way, should hesitate to write about her case to Dr. Greene, and she will get, free of charge, information and advice which is almost sure to lead to her complete restoration to health.

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"Well, it's come at last."

Susan's grandmother walked into the parlor from the room, feeling down her right arm with the fingers of her left hand. Her face was a little pale and her mouth seemed to be drawn at the corners.

"I suppose I might expect it," she went on. A little moisture had collected in her eyes. "I'm past 80 and have always been well, but now my time has come and I'll try to be resigned to my fate."

"Why, what is it?" asked Susan, with a tone of fright in her voice.

"Paralysis," answered her grandmother stoically. "Feel o' that arm. Just as heavy as lead. It's all I can do to raise it, and I can't feel anything on it at all. I can pinch it and not feel it."

Susan had become really frightened.

She felt of her grandmother's arm through the sleeve of her waist. It was cold to the touch.

"Never mind," said the old lady. "There is nothing one can do for paraly-

"FEEL O' THAT ARM."

sis save to let it run its course and then when it reaches the heart it will be all over. I ought to expect it."

And she sat down in a rocking chair by the window and looked out into the light absentmindedly.

Her arm hung down at her side loosely.

Susan watched her closely. Then all of a sudden she smiled. An idea had occurred to her. She knew the determination of her grandmother and how, when the old lady had made up her mind that such and such a thing was so, no power on earth could disillusion her. So she left the old lady to herself and went on about her house work.

After a bit she looked through the parlor doorway. Her grandmother was holding her right hand above her head and working her fingers in all sorts of odd twists. The paralysis was leaving the arm. She had slept on it for eight hours.—Detroit Free Press.

Maple City Self-Washing Soap not only saves the wear on your clothes, because less rubbing is required, but it saves fully half the labor.

Big Collieries Are Shut Down.

Hazleton, Pa., Jan. 20.—On account of a threatened strike of the carpenter force at the Honeybrook colliery of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company, because of a wage disagreement, all the works at Audenried and Honeybrook were shut down, throwing 2,500 men out of employment.

Maine House for Expansion.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 20.—A resolution indorsing the expansion policy of the administration and inviting President McKinley to visit Augusta was adopted in the house Thursday by a unanimous rising vote, amid much enthusiasm.

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"Maud says she is madly in love with her new wheel."

"Huh, another case where man is displaced by machinery."—Indianapolis Journal.

ROBY RACETRACK VICTORIOUS.

Unfavorable Measure Defeated in the Indiana Legislature.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 20.—By a vote of 45 to 46 the bill under which the state authorities hoped to proceed successfully against the Roby racetrack people and the persons and concerns wasting natural gas was defeated in the house Thursday.

The friends of the measure say the clerks made a mistake in the roll call and that later the bill will be passed. Mr. Mull and Mr. Manifold gave notice that they would ask that the record be corrected, and if this is not done they will ask for a reconsideration of the vote. Five men who are recorded as voting against the bill declare they voted for it.

The opposition was led by Mr. Knotts of Hammond, who disclaimed any connection with the objectionable organizations that do business in his county. The chief argument against the bill was that it was too drastic. It makes any repeated violation of a penal statute a nuisance, and authorizes any public officer to bring suit for injunction without giving bond. It was the feeling that the bill was too far-reaching, rather than any friendship for Roby, that caused the defeat, it is believed.

IS $30,000 SHORT.

Criminal Court Clerk Wagenman of St. Louis Missing.

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—Al J. Wagenman, clerk of the court of criminal correction, is missing. His friends fear he has committed suicide. They say he confessed a subversion of witness and jurors' fees to the amount of $30,000.

This is the first result of the proposal by the legislature to investigate the municipal government of St. Louis.

To Reimburse the Fighters.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Representative McCleary of Minnesota Thursday introduced a bill authorizing the secretary of the treasury to reimburse officers and men of the army who have served in the war between the United States and Spain for necessary and reasonable expenses incurred while on leave or furlough for medical attendance, nursing and medical supplies necessitated by disabilities incurred through military or naval services in said war.

Will Bring Bodies Home.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 20.—Michigan will bring back the bodies of its soldiers who died in other states and countries during the recent war. Both houses Thursday passed a joint resolution authorizing the payment by the board of state auditors of all expenses incident to the exhuming and return of these bodies in excess of that paid by the general government. Gov. Pingree has selected Charles E. Kiplinger of Charlotte to oversee this work.

Believe the Yacht Lost.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 20.—Hope for the safety of the Paul Jones party is rapidly disappearing. Messrs. Jones and Taggart, who left Scranton Wednesday night to investigate the story that the Jones was ashore at Grand Batture, returned with proof that the vessel was not in the vicinity reported. Later in the night the same party went to Chandeleur light to examine into rumors from that quarter. Again they were doomed to disappointment.

Favor the Peace Treaty.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—In the house Thursday Mr. Page, rep., offered a resolution declaring for the immediate ratification by congress of the Spanish-American peace treaty, and directing the Illinois congressmen to work to that end. The resolution was immediately adopted, and then Mr. McNabb, dem., offered a resolution declaring for independence for the Filipinos. No action was taken.

Don Carlos Has the Grip.

Vienna, Jan. 20.—Don Carlos, duke of Madrid, the Bourbon pretender, is seriously sick at the Chateau Loredan, and his physicians are in constant attendance. He has succumbed to the epidemic influenza, which has settled on his lungs, and his doctors, though they hope to pull him through, are apprehensive of a serious turn of the disease.

Sagasta Cabinet to Stand.

Madrid, Jan. 20.—It is announced that because of the difficulties that stood in the way of a solution of the cabinet crisis along lines of reorganization, the Sagasta cabinet will be continued without change. The cortes will await the action of the United States senate on the treaty of Paris before assembling.

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EAR CORN—New, ℔ ton, $6.50 to 7.00.
OATS White, 25c@27c.
CLOVER SEED—$3.00@$3.50 ℔bushel.
TIMOTHY SEED—80@$1.00 ℔bushel.
MEAL—75c ℔100, $13 a ton, Bolted $1.
FEED—70c ℔100 lbs. $13.00 ℔ton.
BRAN—70c ℔100 lbs; $13.00 ℔ton.
MIDDLINGS—70c ℔100; $13.00 ℔ton.
HAY—Timothy ℔ton, $6.00@7.00; other kinds, $5.00@$6.00 ℔ton.
STRAW—$4.00@$4.50 ℔ton.
POTATOES—03@35 ℔bushel.
BEANS—75c@$1.10 ℔bushel.
BUTTER—19c@20c.
EGGS—20@21c ℔dozen.
POULTRY—Turkeys, 9c@10c. Chickens, 7@8c
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HIDES—Green, 6½c@7½c; dry, 9c@10c.
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Mr. S. A. Fackler, editor of the Micanopy (Fla.) Hustler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from la grippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for la grippe, and its exhausting after effects. Never fails. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Annual Convention, National Creamery Buttermakers' Association, Sioux Falls, S. Dak., Jan. 23-29.

On account of the above, excursion tickets to Sioux Falls, via the North Western Line, will be sold January 21-24, good until January 31, 1899, at greatly reduced rates. Apply to agents for full particulars.

Live for those that love you,
For those whose hearts are fond and true.
The only way to do this right,
Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night.
Smith's Pharmacy, kodak agents.

China to Seek for Trade.

Shanghai, Jan. 20.—It is stated that China will send a commercial mission to Europe and America in March. If the commission reports favorably when it returns in November, commercial agencies will be established in the important foreign cities in 1900.

DON'T GO IT BLIND.

THERE'S NO NEED TO IN JANESVILLE.

The Way Is Almost Hedged With Guide-Posts.

Have you ever read a newspaper article, a glowing account of some incident told in elusive words to lead you on, and found it ended up with a proprietary medicine advertisement? Made you angry, didn't it? And were you convinced of the merit of the article? We think not, because it told the experience of some stranger in a far-away town. To take his word for it was it was like "going it blind." It's a very different thing when a statement is prescribed from a citizen, from people we know, and that's the case here.

Mr H. P. Hanson, of 103 Pleasant St. engineer, employed at the Janesville Machine Co., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills did me all the good that could be expected and I recommend them to any one who may be troubled with a lame back or any kidney disorder. After procuring them at the Janesville Co.'s drug store and taking them I felt better tlept better, my back did not ache like it did, and I did not rise in the morning with a lame and sore back. I suffered from these symptoms for four or five years and I was more than pleased at the results obtained from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. I highly recommend this reliable remedy to others."

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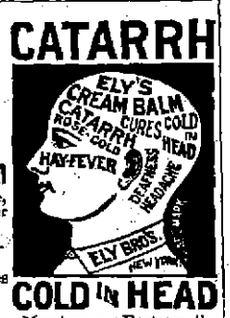

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—Circuit Court for Rock County—Louis F. Knipp, plaintiff; vs. John H. Myers and Peter L. Myers, defendants—John Shortney, plaintiff; vs. John H. Myers and Peter L. Myers, defendants.

Take notice that on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, in front of the post office on West Milwaukee street, city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, by virtue of and to satisfy an execution issued out of the Circuit Court for Rock county, Wisconsin, in each of the above entitled actions, each on a judgment theretofore recovered, in each of the above entitled actions in the Municipal Court for Rock county, Wisconsin, and a transcript of each of said judgments was on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1898, duly filed in the office of the clerk of the said Circuit Court for Rock county, Wisconsin, and that the execution on the judgment in the action wherein Louis F. Knipp is plaintiff and the said John H. Myers and Peter L. Myers are defendants, is for the sum of one hundred eighty-nine dollars and ten cents, and interest thereon from December 29th, 1898, and seventy-five cents for said execution and return, and sheriff fees less twenty-six and thirty one-hundredths dollars made thereon December 27, 1898, and the execution on the judgment in the action wherein John Shortney is plaintiff, and the said John H. Myers and Peter L. Myers are defendants, is for the sum of three hundred forty-five and twenty-six one-hundredths dollars and interest since December 29th, 1898, and seventy-five cents for said execution and return and sheriff fees, and having on the 30th day of December, 1898, levied on all the real estate hereinafter described under each of the said executions, I will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate situated in the city of Janesville, county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, to-wit:

All of lots seven, eight and nine and part of lots ten and eleven, in block thirty-three, original plat, beginning at the north-west corner of said block, thence easterly along the southerly side of East Milwaukee street 265.32 feet to Bluff street, thence southerly along the westerly side of Bluff street 134.7 feet, thence westerly at right angles to Bluff street 96.2 feet, thence northerly parallel to Bluff street, 54.7 feet, thence westerly at right angles to Bluff street 35.8 feet, to the easterly line of lot seven, thence southerly along the easterly line of lot seven 42.08 feet to the southeasterly corner of lot seven, westerly along southerly side of lot seven 132 feet to Main street, northerly along the easterly side of Main street 178.58 feet to beginning, except right of way six feet wide off the southerly side and fourteen feet off the westerly side of the southerly 54.7 feet of easterly 96.2 feet of said part of said premises on lots ten and eleven.

Also part of lots one and two, block twenty-five, original plat, beginning at the south-easterly corner of said block, westerly along northerly side of East Milwaukee street 62.54 feet, northerly parallel to Division street 122 feet, westerly parallel to Milwaukee street 51.17 feet, northerly parallel to Division street 60.5 feet, easterly at right angles to Division street 113.1 feet, southerly along westerly side of Division street 196 feet to beginning.

Also a piece of land lying on each side of a line through the center line of Rock River and running parallel therewith, being twenty feet on each side of the center line of aforesaid and fronting on Milwaukee street, being forty feet front and rear on south side of said Milwaukee street and 160 feet deep in the southerly direction.

Also four rods off the northerly side of block forty-two, original plat.

Also lot five, block thirty-five, original plat.

Lot five, block one, Sinclair's addition.

Dated Dec. 30, 1898.

THEO L. ACHESON,
Sheriff Rock, County, Wisconsin.
SMITH & PIERCE,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a general term of the County Court to be held in and for said County at the Court House in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 7th day of February, 1899, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Arthur Dodge for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Catherine Bicknell, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

Dated January 13th, 1899.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN—Circuit Court for Rock County—Monica Schnell, plaintiff; vs. Clara M. Wright and Willis J. Litts, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure entered in the above entitled action, in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants, by said Circuit Court, on the fourteenth day of December, 1897, I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Rock County, on the eighteenth day of February, 1899, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Janesville in said Rock County, will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the premises described as follows:

Lot number nine (9) in block numbered two (2), in the subdivision of block nine (9) of Forest Park Addition to Janesville' according to the plats thereof, respectively, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county.

Dated January 6th, 1899.

W. H. APPLEBY,
Sheriff of Rock County, Wisconsin.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN—Circuit Court for Rock County—J. S. Conrad, plaintiff; vs. David Conger Fannie A. Conger, C. A. Corbett, Alson Horton and Mary King, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure entered in the above entitled action, in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants, by said Circuit Court, on the 11th day of December, 1897, I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Rock County, on the 18th day of February, 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said Rock County, will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the premises described as follows:

Lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10) and eleven (11), all in Conger's Addition to the city of Janesville, according to the duly recorded plat thereof.

Dated January 6th, 1899.

W. H. APPLEBY,
Sheriff of Rock County, Wisconsin.
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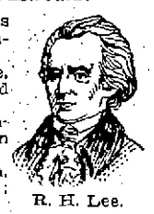

R. H. Lee.

1716—Birth of Jean Jacques Barthelemy, French author; died 1795.
1732—Richard Henry Lee, statesman, born; died 1794.
1734—Robert Morris, financier and "signer," born in Liverpool; died 1806.
1759—Sir James Ferguson, Scotch astronomer, died; born 1720.
1779—David Garrick died; born 1716.
1806—Nathaniel Parker Willis born in Portland, Me.; died on same date in 1867.
1814—David Wilmot, congressman and author of the "Wilmot Proviso," born; died 1868.
1841—Hongkong ceded to Great Britain by China and $6,000,000 war indemnity guaranteed.
1894—General Emile Mellinet, a French veteran of the wars of Napoleon I and of the second empire, died at Nantes; born 1798.
1896—Prince Henry of Battenberg, husband of Beatrice, Queen Victoria's youngest and favorite daughter, died at sea, en route from Africa to England; born 1858.

BRAVE PIONEER WOMEN.

How They Brought Water to a Besieged Force in Kentucky.

It is told that at the siege of Bryant's station, near Lexington, Ky., the women were called upon for an unusual display of courage. It was in the days of Indian warfare. The garrison was supplied with water from a spring at some distance from the fort, and near this spring a considerable force of Indians had been placed in ambush. Another party, in full view from the fort, had been ordered to open fire at a given time, with the hope of enticing the besieged to an engagement outside the walls, giving the ambushed force an opportunity for storming one of the gates. The experienced men in the garrison felt satisfied that Indians were concealed near the spring, but were sure they would not show themselves until the firing had begun on the opposite side of the fort. The need of water was urgent, and, seeing but one way to get it, the men summoned all the women. Explaining to them the circumstances in which they were placed and the improbability that any injury would be offered them until firing had begun on the other side of the fort, they begged them to go in a body to the spring and bring up each a bucketful of water. Some of the women, as was natural, had no relish for the undertaking, and asked why the men could not bring water as well as themselves, observing that they were not bullet-proof and that the Indians made no distinction between male and female scalps. To this it was answered that the women were in the habit of bringing water every morning to the fort, and that if the Indians saw them engaged as usual it would induce them to think their ambuscade undiscovered, and that they would not unmask themselves for the sake of firing at a few women when they hoped, by remaining concealed a few moments longer, to obtain complete possession of the fort. That if the men should go down to the spring the Indians would immediately suspect that something was wrong, would despair of succeeding by ambuscade and would instantly rush upon them, follow them into the fort or shoot them down at the spring. The decision was soon made. A few of the boldest women declared their readiness to go, and, the younger and more timid rallying in the rear of these veterans, they all marched to the spring within point-blank shot of 500 Indian warriors. Some of the girls betrayed symptoms of terror, but the married women in general moved with a steadiness and composure that completely deceived the Indians. Not a shot was fired, the women were permitted to fill their buckets, and, though ther steps became quicker and quicker on their return, degenerating into a rather unmilitary celerity, yet not more than one-fifth of the water was spilled and the garrison was supplied.

OVER THE ALPS BY RAIL.

A New Electric Railroad Up the Side of One of the Highest Peaks.

"There shall be no Alps," said Napoleon, and he dragged his army over them. Modern science has accomplished the same annihilation. The new electric railroad up the side of Gornergrat, one of the highest peaks of the range, will be opened soon. So elated is the engineer with his success that he is already planning to build a road up the steep ascent of Mont Blanc, "the monarch of mountains." The road up Gornergrat is 10 miles long and rises by gradient of about one foot in five during most of its ascent, reaching its highest point at Ryffelalp station. This is situated on the ridge, and is over 10,000 feet above the level of the sea, and lies between Findelen and Gorner glaciers. From Gornergrat the traveler has a view unrivaled throughout the Alps. It has long been a favorite excursion of Swiss travelers who ascended it by Zermatt by a mule path with comparative safety and comfort. Beyond a foot path ascends almost to the top, but its dangers and difficulties forbid its ascent to all but the most intrepid mountain climbers. The new road, however, brings it within the reach of all. Ryffelalp there overlooks the entire Findelen valley and the traveler might be well satisfied to return by the way he came. However, the engineer has been even more considerate. By reversing the direction of his train he carries you right down into and through the valley, bringing you back by a beautiful circuitous route to Zermatt. The trains will be driven by electricity generated from the torrent that flows from the Findelen glacier, a huge pipe down the mountain side carrying the water at a high pressure to the dynamos beneath the bridge. The dynamos are capable of developing 1,500 horse-power, and the current will be conveyed by overhead wires to the motors attached to the carriages. The bridge across the Findelen is unique, as it is 164 feet above the river, or 16 feet higher than the bridge at Fribourg, hitherto the highest railway bridge in Switzerland. The electrical motors will drive on to a central cogged rail, between the two ordinary rails, as the gradient is much too steep for the train to be driven by simple adhesion.

DIAMONDS AS PAVEMENT.

Kimberley Road Made of Earth Containing Fortunes in Gems.

It is not often that it is given to man, outside of the favored gentlemen who figured in the stirring story of Aladdin and his wonderful lamp and kindred productions of rich oriental imagination, to travel daily on a high road literally groaning with diamonds, says the New York Herald. When such an unusual privilege is vouchsafed, it would appear to be the proper thing to admit that one might love the very ground he walked on. Until a few years ago there was such a road and it was neither a vision of the pipe nor the press agent. It was located in the Kimberley district in South Africa and when a man walked over it he walked over millions of dollars' worth of the precious stones. Five thousand dollars a yard was the record of some parts of the road. The diamonds are not there now, so it will do the gentle reader no good to take a ticket for Kimberley and seek to find a fortune in the street. It seems that when the diamond mining industry was some years younger than it is today there was a vexing scarcity of water in the Kimberley country. So when a miner couldn't get a supply of water to help him in his search he had to do the best he could and hustle around with his tools in the dry earth. He would spade here and there until he struck a lump of earth which held the eagerly sought prize. Then he would abandon the little mound of earth his spade had overturned and seek for diamonds in another place. After a while, several years in fact, these mounds amounted to a considerable obstruction to travel and further digging. The loose earth was in the way, but no one would volunteer to cart it away. Finally the Kimberley municipal council offered to use the dirt in macadamizing the roads around the city, which was branching out and reaching quite respectable proportions. The offer was gladly accepted by the mine-owners and the mounds were cleared away. Nearly a score of years later there was a drop in the diamond market. The price of the stones fell and in order to bring about a return of high figures the mine-owners decided to restrict their output. This necessitated a big cut in the pay roll and as a result the Kimberley district was soon overrun with unemployed miners. Then some of the wise men in the land came to the conclusion that they might pick up a few overlooked gems from the high road if they could get municipal permission and a plentiful supply of water. They got both, for each year a portion of the road which had been strengthened by the mound dirt was turned over to the men and they worked on it with astounding results. Diamonds to the value of $200,000 were recovered yearly for several years. From the little piece of road no bigger than the floor of a Harlem drawing room there was taken $100,000 worth of diamonds.

Stupid Brutel

She—That horrid cook of the Browns has got a hat just like mine.

He—I see no occasion for that to worry you. There is no danger of you being mistaken for one another. Your hair is not the same shade.—Indianapolis Journal.

Cynical.

Vergeleigh—You believe that all poets are born, don't you?

Oldstyle—I do. I believe they're all dead too.—Town Topics.

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How a German Baron Was Made to Feel Little.

This is a story of an international marriage that didn't take place. It failed twice, the first time for reasons of the man in the affair, or his family, and the second time for reasons of revenge on the part of the once young woman, now three times married. It is safe to say that the German baron will not daily long again with a Blue Grass belle. It was half a century ago that Miss Marie Goodloe, one of the most beautiful girls in that state world famous for three beautiful products—girls, horses and whisky—went abroad and formed the acquaintance of Baron Von Norde of Berlin, nephew of the late Prince Bismarck. They became engaged, and everything seemed to be going smoothly, when the parents of the young man announced that it could not be, and the affair was broken off. Miss Goodloe recovered, and in time became successively Mrs. Shreeve, Mrs. Ransom, and Mrs. Cuthbert Bullitt. The first two husbands died, and divorce separated her from the last one. Perhaps the old flame lingered in the heart of the baron, and it certainly burned with vengeance in the heart of the lady. Last summer they met in Chicago, and again he asked her to be his. The long-awaited hour had come. At last the proud Kentuckian had a chance to show the baron what sort of woman the Blue Grass country produces. She told the baron that she would consider the matter, and give him an answer in person at her home on Nov. 1. He came in advance of the date, and found Louisville society wide open. She gave a reception in his honor at Fountain Ferry park, and for two weeks showed him every attention. On the first of this month he knelt with becoming baronical grace at the feet of the beauty, and offered to share his castle on the Rhine with her. With an arise-sir-knight air she bade him regain his feet, and when he was sufficiently braced she remarked that she preferred a cabin in Kentucky to a castle in Germany. The baron quit America, and Mrs. Bullitt gave out the story. Thus was she avenged.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called Gran-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receies it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for Grain-O.

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LOST—Lady's gold watch Saturday afternoon. L. M. Akin was engraved in back. Finder will be rewarded at this office.

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WANTED—Competent girl for general house work. Enquire of Mrs. F. Fifield, 201 N. Jackson street.

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Argo Pure Gloss Starch, per package	5c	Peanut, Cream and Cocoanut Taffies, per lb	10c
Good Table Syrup, per gal	25c	None Such prepared Pumpkin, ready for the pie crust; enough for 2 pies	10c
Fancy Salmon, 10c can; 3 for	25c	Fine Peas, 10c can; 3 for	25c
Good Sardines, 5c can; 3 for	10c	Fine Corn, 10c can; 3 for	25c
Well known Phoenix Baking Powder, 15c lb.; 2 for	25c	Fine Smoked Halibut, per lb	12½c
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From 20 to 35c per dozen.

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Look at our list of 3 cent goods. Asbestos Stove Mats, Wire Meat Forks, Wire Potato Mashers, Wire Tea Strainers, Glass Salt or Pepper Shakers, Wood Mouse Traps, Match Boxes, Wire Kettle Cleaners, Quart Tin Cups, 24 Sheets Shelf Paper, Tin Cake Cutter, Nutmeg Graters, Milk Skimmers, Cream Ladle, and many other useful things for

Only 3 cents.

And don't fail to see our 5 cent counter display.

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Our Sole Purpose In business is to save the purchaser money.

There are Savers in plenty here.

Paine's Celery Compound	85c
Hood's Sarsaparilla	75c
Carter's Little Liver Pills	15c
Alcock's Porus Plasters	15c
Sulphur, for stock, per lb	05c
1-qt bottle Laundry Ammonia	10c
Warner's Safe Cure	$1 00
1-qt Prussian Lice Killer, per can	50c
2-qt package Prussian Stock Food	50c
Prussian Spavin Cure	75c
Prussian Worm Powder	50c
Nursing Bottles, complete	10c
Breast Pumps, complete	25c
Derby Syringe, complete	35c
2 bars Turkish Bath Soap	05c
2 bars Oil of Tar Soap	05c
Garfield Tea	20c
Fresh Eggs	20c
Very best Creamery Butter only	20c
Choice Dairy Butter	18c

THE BOSTON STORE,

South River Street.

J. B. SMITH.

FARMERS DISCUSS TOPICS OF INTEREST

CONVENTION AT MILTON JUNCTION IS ANIMATED.

War on Oleomargerine is Approved, and Gambling in Farm Products Condemned—Noxious Weeds on the Farm and in the Moral World—State Road Building Not Endorsed

The committee on resolutions offered the following, which was recommended for passage by the committee:

Whereas, The best interests of American agriculture demand the construction of first class roads connecting farms with market towns; that the cost of their construction is too considerable to be borne by farm property alone. Therefore be it

Resolved, That as the entire population is interested in, and benefited directly or indirectly by good roads, all property ought to contribute to the cost of their construction through the medium of a state tax.

It was the opinion of most of those present that the taxes were already too great, and scarcely a vote was recorded in favor of the resolution.

The second day's session of the Farmers' convention at Milton Junction yesterday attracted a large attendance, and the interest in the proceedings was well maintained.

After the opening exercises Ezra Goodrich submitted the following question, to which answers were asked:

"Which is the better way for the farmers to insure their property, with a foreign stock company whose officers draw princely salaries and build sky scraper buildings with the millions of surplus premiums we pay, or, with a mutual home company, conducted by honest old gray headed farmers whom we all know, who ask us to pay only the actual and necessary cost?"

There was a very general expression of opinion which was decidedly favorable to local insurance companies.

The question was asked: "Would it be advisable to increase the several committees of our county board of supervisors to five members?"

Members of the county board present, George R. Baker and ex-Sheriff J. L. Bear, were of the opinion that the committees of three were plenty. J. L. Bear thought it would take more boodle for five members.

The following resolutions were adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That we endorse the efforts of the state and national governments to prevent the sale of adulterated and mislabeled food products.

Resolved, That we condemn the practice of gambling, not only in all farm products, but in all its forms and practices.

Resolved, That we are in favor of the passage of a bill creating postal savings banks throughout the United States and hereby request our representatives in congress to vote for the passage of such a bill.

Mr. Sarah L. Guernsey read a paper on "Noxious Weeds." She did not confine her attention to those weeds that disfigure the farm and garden and choke out useful vegetation, but spoke of those moral (or immoral) weeds, such as intemperance that destroy the noble impulses and aspirations of mankind. An animated discussion ensued.

At the afternoon session George McKerrow read a comprehensive paper on "Rotation of Crops," in which he took the ground that the profits of farmers would be largely increased if they would avoid seeding the same land year after year with the same crop.

H. H. Carr, a Chicago commission merchant, addressed the convention on "Shipping and Marketing Farm Produce."

Miss Ora Finch gave two very clever recitations that brought forth hearty applause. She was followed by A. C. Powers, master of Pomona Grange, who read a paper on "State Aid for Public Highways," which was thoroughly discussed by P. H. Thomas, Ezra Goodrich, Judge Chas. L. Fifield and others.

HAVERLY IS HERE TONIGHT

His Mammoth Minstrel Show Will Give a Performance.

Haverly's Mastodon minstrels arrived in this city this morning and tonight will give one of their unrivalled and unapproachable performances at the Myers' Grand. Col. Haverly has always had the best minstrel men that money could procure. This accounts for his wonderful success, of which all the minstrel world has heard. There is not a minstrel performer of any note, but what has traveled under the Haverly banner, and that point alone is proof positively that the Heverly entertainments have always been the best; but that is known by everyone, and so there is hardly anything that can be said in praise of this great company, save that it is beyond its previous standard.

It should be borne in mind that Col. Haverly, unlike most of the managers who visit this city, begins his performances promptly on time. As the clock strikes eight the curtain rises, and those not in their seats at that time will miss some of the best things on the program.

SHANTYTOWN IS A SUCCESS

A Rattling Farce Comedy Billed For Monday Evening Next.

One of the most beautiful and artistic members on the program of Robert Fulgora's roaring farce "Shanty Town" is the exquisite song and dance, "The Octette on the Boulevarde" executed by eight beautiful young ladies, their voices blending in sweet harmony, while their dancing is the very poetry of motion. This song and dance is entirely original and wes composed and arranged by Mr. Sam W. Combs expressly for this organization. "Shanty Town" will be seen at the Myers Grand on Monday evening, Jan. 23, and will be well worth seeing.

STOVES for sale—Two first class heaters for sale cheap. Just the thing for store, office or warehouse. May be seen at Gazette office.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

McNAMARA sells hardware.

FANCY dairy butter 20c per pound. Sanborn.

SEE the candy maker in Al Smith's next week.

TOMORROW $1.98 shoes. Amos Rehberg & Co.

FRESH eggs, strictly new, 20c per dozen Sanborn.

ALL the fresh eggs you want 20c per dozen at Sanborn's.

SEE notices of Christian Science lecture elsewhere in the Gazette.

EGGS are down, fancy fresh laid eggs 20 cents per dozen at Sanborn's.

GIVEN away free. 10,000 samples of good remedies. Peoples Drug Co.

THE best welt shoes on earth for $2.50 at Rehberg & Co's., on the bridge.

WE are giving away 10,000 free samples of remedies. People's Drug Co. 10,000 samples of good remedies free at the People's Drug store. Call and get one.

SEE the excellent values we are offering in variety jackets at $2.50, $3.50 and $5.00. T. P. Burns.

THE ginghams we offer at 10c per yard are new '99 spring colorings. Very pretty. Bort, Bailey & Co.

EVERYTHING in the line of clothing and men's furnishing goods goes now at about half price to close out by February 15. John Weisend.

IF you have not already seen those pretty new dress ginghams come in and look them over. They are well worth inspection. Bort, Bailey & Co.

NOTHING but the best, that's our motto. Our shoes their attractiveness, our customers speak for the wear. Remember us. Amos Rehberg & Co.

G. H. ERRIDGE would be please to meet all of his old patrons at 211 W. Milwaukee street, where he has moved his barber shop and watch repairing.

THE delicacies you like so well in summer are twice as acceptable now such as lettuce, radishes, celery, etc. We have received a large lot for Saturday trade. Sanborn.

IF you wish to hear correct statements in regard to Christian Science, listen to Edward A. Kimball, C. S. B., of Chicago, at Columbia hall next Wednesday evening, January 25th. Lecture free.

FOR SALE—Residence No. 4 East street, north, in the Second ward, owned and occupied by E. M. Hardy, to whom call on or address for terms and particulars.

MR. W. C. GARWOOD, of the Garwood Candy Co. of Evanston and Chicago will make candy in Al Smith's window, for one week commencing Monday, Jan. 23. Visitors welcome.

A SPECIAL feature of the Imperial band dance will be the music. Smith's orchestra of ten pieces and the Imperial band plays the two-steps at the armory Monday evening, Jan. 23. Tickets 50 cents.

WE are making every effort to make it an object to buy from us. Our prices cannot help but make you another customer. Don't forget. Buy your shoes of Rehberg and you buy them right. Amos Rehberg & Co.

W. F. HAYES, the eye specialist, returns this evening from Milwaukee, where he has been the past four days engaged in special optical work. He can be found at F. C. Cook & Co's. tomorrow and Monday.

DON'T forget the Imperial band invitation dance Monday evening, Jan. 23, at the Armory. Music by Smith's orchestra of ten pieces, and Imperial band; the two step music by the band, same as the Coterie club party. Tickets 50 cents.

MISS Mary Thompson, of Chesley, Ont., gave her brother, Mark Thompson, a little surprise by stopping over night with him on her way to visit her sister, Mrs. James Pepper. She reports bad storms and cold weather in Canada this winter, with plenty of snow.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of Oak Hill cemetery association will be held at the office of Dr. W. H. Judd, on Friday, January 20, 1899, at 7:30 p. m. All lot owners are stockholders and entitled to vote at this meeting. By order of trustees.

MR. Edward A. Kimball, C. S. B., of Chicago, Ill. will deliver a lecture on Christian Science at Columbia hall next Wednesday evening, January 25, at 8 o'clock. This lecture will be free and all are most cordially invited to be present and hear the true doctrines of this faith expounded.

WELL KNOWN BAND COMING

Frederick Phinney, Noted Band Leader Was in the City Today.

Frederick Phinney, the well known conductor of the celebrated United States band, was in the city today making arrangements for the appearance of his band in this city at the opera house next month.

The justly celebrated band is composed of about forty five musicians who for several years past traversed the country as the Iowa State band. Mr. Phinney is the youngest of a large family, all of whom were musicians. He was born in 1849, at Plymouth, Mass., and is a descendant from Captain Miles Standish, the leader of the Pilgrims who landed on Plymouth Rock in 1620. Mr. Phinney at an early age showed remarkable talent for music. Later he graduated from the Boston Conservatory of Music.

A subscription paper will be started tomorrow and the citizens can well afford to lend their hearty support in securing this widely known attraction.

A famous dish for breakfast, keeps the whole family well, costs 35 cents, one package of Rocky Mountain Tea. Smith's Pharmacy, kodak agents.

SHALL THERE BE A MIDWINTER FAIR?

BUSINESS MEN OF JANESVILLE MUST ANSWER.

Committeemen Have Wearied of Making Up Deficiencies Out of Their Own Pockets—If Enough Money Is Subscribed They Will Conduct the Fair as Usual.

A meeting of the midwinter fair committee was held last evening at the Hotel Myers, when the officers of the association were re-elected for the ensuing year as follows:

President—George M. McKey.
Secretary—Fred L. Clemons.
Treasurer—W. H. Greenman.

A general discussion took place as to the advisability of holding a fair this year. The sentiment was favorable to the enterprise provided the business men of the city would come forward with the necessary assistance in the way of premiums. The members expressed reluctance to undertake the task another year without a guarantee that the expenses would be fully met, as they did not feel inclined to make up the deficiencies out of their own pockets, as they have done in the past.

Many inquiries have been received by the committee from the farmers of this and adjoining counties, and from business men of this city and elsewhere, asking if the fair is to be held this year and on what date, thus showing that there is interest in the event.

A committee was appointed, and on Monday next will begin a canvass of the city to see what can be done in the way of raising subscriptions and premiums. If the business men of the city want the fair this will be the opportunity to show it.

The committee is willing to undertake the labor involved without pay, and solely for the benefit of the city, but they are not ready to pay premiums out of their own pockets that ought to be paid by business men that derive the benefits from the fair by increased sales among the thousands who are attracted here by it.

DANCED TILL DAY IN FANCY COSTUME

UNITED WORKMEN'S MASQUERADE A GREAT SUCCESS.

The Floor Was Crowded with Dancers in a Variety of Unique and Elaborate Disguises—Much Amusement Was Created by the Cake Walk.

The masquerade ball of the United Workmen at the Armory last evening was a largely attended and brilliant affair. The floor was thronged with dancers in gay costumes and unique disguises, while from the gallery hundreds witnessed the moving panorama. No masquerade given in Janesville for years has brought out so many costumes both novel and costly. There were 116 couples in the grand march.

The cake walk was participated in by six couples, but three of them dropped out before its conclusion and the judges awarded the prizes to William O'Neil, of Beloit, and Miss Anna Peterson, of 417 South Jackson street, this city. This feature of the entertainment awakened the greatest interest.

The prizes for the evening were awarded as follows:

For the best lady's costume—Miss Mamie Riley, lamp.

For the mast comical lady's costume—Mrs. J. Brennan, pair of slippers.

For the best man's costume—N. Gillette, old soldier, necktie box.

For the most comical man's costume—Eugene Olin, tramp, hat.

Miss Minnie Riley, the winner of the first prize, was attired in the fetching costume of a huntress, with short skirt and tan leggins, and carried a gun and game bag, and suspended to her belt was a dead pigeon, the evidence of her skill. She was greatly admired by all present.

The judges for the cake walk and the costumes were the same. They were E. B. Heimstreet, Robert M. Bostwick, Chas S. Putnam, George D. Simpson and Frank C. Hazelton.

The committee of arrangements consisted of Milo Thayer, Ed. O. Smith, Bernard L. Dunwiddie, Will Buob and E. H. Baker.

The floor committee consisted of Edward C. Baumann, Harry Keating, F. Lawson, Charles Brandt, John B. Griffin, William Drummond, F. Ohweiler and Wm. Cadwallader.

Taken as a whole the entertainment surpassed any of its kind ever given here. The arrangements were faultless in their every detail, perfect order was maintained throughout the evening, the best of good feeling prevailed, and there was not the slightest incident to mar the enjoyment of any of the participants or spectators. The United Workmen are entitled to great credit for the manner in which the ball was conducted from its inception to its close.

Attention, Golfers and Country Club Members!

To all golfers and Country Club members is extended an invitation to attend a dancing party to be given at the club house, Saturday evening, Jan. 21, 1899. Carryalls will leave J. P. Baker's drug store at 7:15 p. m. sharp. Members intending going will kindly leave their names with Howard R. Ruger or J. P. Baker Saturday morning.

Had an Arm Cut Off

Beloit, Wis., Jan. 20—[Special]—Ira Blackmarr had his left arm cut off today in a strawcutter at a Rockton paper mill. [redacted]

WILL USE HOADLEY'S MOTOR

New York Street Railway Has Adopted His Appliances

Many Janesville people will be interested in knowing that the compressed air motor which is to be used on the New York street railways is the invention of Joseph H. Hoadley. Mr. Hoadley married a niece of J. M. Bostwick—a daughter of Mrs. Josephine Curtis. Dispatches tell of the organization of the company as follows:

New York, Jan. 17—The organization of the New York Auto-Truck company was perfected today. The capital stock was increased to $10,000,000. The following officers were elected: Joseph H. Hoadley, president; Lewis Nixon, vice president; Nathan Straus, treasurer; C. C. Hardy, secretary; Augustus Van Wyck, general counsel. Directors: J. H. Hoadley, Arthur P. Gorman, Nathan Straus, Lewis Nixon, Richard Croker, and Robert J. McKinstrey, of Philadelphia. The object of the company is to do a general trucking and transportation business in New York City and throughout New Jersey.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 7—In an interview last night Joseph H. Hoadley, of New York, acting for Joseph Leiter, the Chicago financier, confirmed the report that the Leiter syndicate had secured the Rhode Island Locomotive works property and would as soon as possible begin work manufacturing for the Automatic Truck company. The product will be trucks operated by compressed air.

Janesville people will be glad to hear of Mr. Hoadley's success. He began life with no capital except his own talents, and has won his way by sheer ability and perseverance.

RITCHIE--MARTIN NUPTIALS

Pleasant Wedding in the Town of Harmony on Wednesday Last.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 18, 1899, at the home of Wilson Martin, in the town of Harmony, William R. Ritchie, of Bellona, N. Y., and Miss Adeline M. Martin were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. G. Huey in the presence of a number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties. A sumptuous wedding dinner was served. The young couple were the recipients of a number of useful and valuable presents. The groom is an industrious young farmer, of Bellona, N. Y. The bride is the youngest daughter of Wilson Martin, of the town of Harmony, and is a young lady of culture and refinement. They will make their future home on a farm near Bellona, N. Y. They will take with them the best wishes of many friends.

For Saturday Only.

5 lb. sugar	5c
1 peck potatoes	5c
3 lbs. best crackers	5c
1 lb. best Japan tea	40c
1 lb. best coffee	25c
1 lb. best baking powder	25c
14 lb. S. G. starch	10c
1 lb. corn starch	10c
1 sack corn meal Blue Cross	15c
10 lbs. oat meal	25c
1 gallon best table syrup	35c
Total	$2.00

We guarantee every article to be A No. 1. Prices are for entire list only. Nolan Bros.

New Orleans Molasses.

We received today a half cargo pure New Orleans molasses direct from the plantation of Louisiana. There is no molasses so good for cooking purposes, as pure New Orleans and this lot is extra nice. Prices 25 to 75 cents gallon. Sanborn.

IMPREGNABLE PARIS.

The City Could Easily Now Withstand Any Siege.

The French have been taught wisdom by past experience, and as a result have planned, and a few years ago finished, a system of fortifications around Paris, which are probably unequaled for the purposes for which they are intended by any similar fortifications in the world. A well-informed military writer, a member of the general staff of the German army, has given it as his opinion that a successful siege of Paris would be, under present conditions, an impossible undertaking, says a writer in Pearson's. The new fortifications that surround the French capital are some fifteen or twenty miles from the city, and are connected with Paris, and with each other, by a railway system which would enable the French commander to quickly mass at one point a very large body of men, while the general of the besieging army, if he wished to prevent the city from obtaining supplies, and thus shut in the people and the army that was defending it, would have to occupy a line extending over 100 miles, and hence could not, by any possibility, collect a large number of his force at any one point to resist, with even a shadow of hope, an attack of the enemy. It required a German army of, approximately, 500,000 men to lay siege to Paris from Sept. 19, 1870, to Jan. 30, 1871; but the authority we refer to is of the opinion that to repeat the same operation a German besieging army would have to number more than 2,000,000 men, and the work of maintaining such a force and properly handling its parts would be something which few governments would care to undertake and few military commanders would be able to efficiently perform. The French have spent upon these new fortifications an amount variously estimated at from £6,000,000 to £10,000,000, and hence can well afford to sell the land occupied by some of the now obsolete fortifications of a generation ago.

PROPOSITION TO FITZGIBBON BROS.

CASHIER BINGHAM WRITES TO MONROE FIRM.

Not Yet Too Late to Try and Secure Their Removal to Janesville—Galena and Platteville Are Also in the Field—Local Business Men Should Wake Up.

The large wagon and harness manufacturing firm of Fitzgibbon Bros., which was recently burned out at Monroe, may yet be induced to consider a proposition to locate in Janesville. They have as yet not definitely decided to rebuild in Monroe. The citizens there are much worried for fear that some outside town may land the prize.

A. E. Bingham, of this city, cashier of the Bower City bank, has written the following letter to the Monroe firm:

Janesville, Wis., Jan. 17, 1899—Fitzgibbons Bros., Monroe, Wis.: Gentlemen—Hearing of your recent loss by fire, I write to ask if you would entertain a proposition to locate in Janesville. We have a large manufacturing plant in good repair, C. & N. W. R'y sidetracks, a new Reynolds Corliss engine. Everything in readiness to start up without delay. If you would be interested, I should be glad to hear from you. I could offer you very liberal inducements. Very respectfully,

A. E. BINGHAM,
Cashier Bower City Bank.

As an indication of how the Fitzgibbons Bros.' factory is rated the fact may be cited that during the past two days the boys have received proposals from several adjacent towns, which are anxious to secure the plant. Galena is very anxious to induce the boys to locate there, and Plattville business men have written, requesting one of the boys to come over and meet the business men of that city at a meeting to be called.

ORANGES all going fast at this store. We have them 15 cents dozen, up to 45 cents dozen. Sanborn.

McNAMARA sells hardware.

ROYAL Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar.

Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menacers to health of the present day.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

January Underwear Clearance Sale. A splendid buying opportunity. Our already low prices cut still lower.

Children's gray mixed Vest, Pants and Drawers, size No. 16, 9c, rise 2c on each size to No. 34.

Children's all wool natural gray Vest, Pants and Drawers, size No. 16, 18c, rise 5c on each size to No. 34.

Children's Jersey ribbed fleece lined Vests and Pants 22c, all sizes.

Children's heavy ribbed fleece lined union suits 40 to 55c.

Ladies' heavy gray ribbed fleece lined Vest and Pants, were 30c, now 22c.

Next quality, same style; were 50c, now 31c.

Ladies' pure natural wool Vest and Pants, were 85c, now 69c.

Ladies' all wool camels hair Vest and Pants, were $1.25, now 98c.

Ladies' Australian lamb wool shaped natural gray Vest and Pants, were $1.25, now 92c.

Ladies' gray ribbed wool outside fleece lined inside Vest and Pants, regular $1, now 85c.

Ladies' all wool Vest and Pants, were $1.50, now $1.25.

Black wool union suits, were $2.00, now $1.75.

White wool union suits, regular $1.50 goods, now $1.25. All other winter Underwear at reduced prices.

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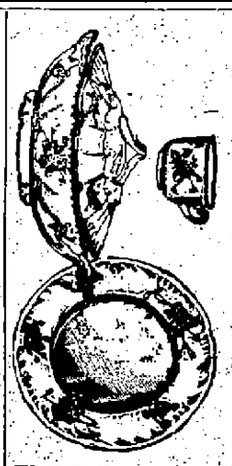
:: BY ::
Edward A. Kimball,
C. S. B., of Chicago, Ill.
:: AT ::
COLUMBIA HALL,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan 25

The Lecture will commence promptly at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.



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It is the best.
The proof of Quality lies in the results obtained
The most complete Coal and Wood Yard in the city.

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We have a splendid line of sweet toned Mandolins, Guitars and Violins at

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Save pain and money. Teeth extracted without pain or danger by application to the gums. Do these prices interest you?

Set of teeth	$5.00
Best set teeth S. S. W	8.00
Gold crowns	4.50
Gold fillings	$1.00 Up
Alloy fillings	50c to 75c
Bridge work per tooth	$4.5
Cleaning teeth	50

All work done by dentist of fifteen years' experience. Open evenings.

HAYES, The Dentist.
Over Rehberg's Shoe Store, on the bridge.

THE LONELIEST GIRL.

A Juvenile Story.

When Marcia Andrews moved to Chicago from the country village in which she had always lived she naturally expected to be a little lonely at first. But she just as naturally believed that the loneliness would not last long. She had always got quickly acquainted with the few new "girls" who had moved into Bridgeport during her lifetime. She saw no reason why city people should take any longer to perform a like ceremony. And she was more than ready to meet them half way.

But the boys and girls who went to the public school and the Sunday school which Marcia attended in Chicago already knew lots of other boys and girls, and, especially as the stranger entered into the class work rather late in the term they were quite fully occupied with their own interests. So when Marcia had been going to the Hammond school regularly every day for three months she was very lonely.

"They don't mean to be unkind, I can see that," she told her mother, for Marcia was as just as she was sensitive, and intuitively realized the true reason of this apparent neglect upon the part of her classmates, "but they're all so busy and so happy and they know so many people that I don't believe they ever think of strangers at all. I feel as if I was just sick for some other girl to talk to whenever I'm not studying."

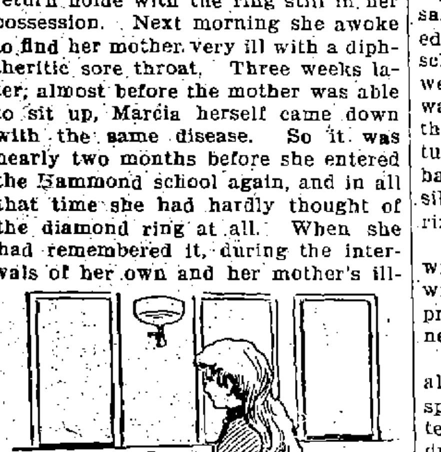
But something happened very soon after Marcia thus fretted to her mother which, while it deepened her loneliness for a time, brought matters out all right in the end.

Staying late at school one evening, in order to glance over a book in the school library, she found, when removing the dust from her fingers afterward, a beautiful ring lying on the edge of the dressing room basin. She knew whose ring it was immediately. She had often watched the diamond in its flashing from the finger of Evelyn Gorton, the girl who sat next to her in school. Girl-like, Marcia, who had never owned a ring, had often envied Evelyn the possession of this one. Now she amused herself for some moments by slipping it on and off her own finger and watching the light play about the handsome stone. Then she went in search of the janitor and offered the ring to him.

"No," said the janitor, who did not care for the trouble of returning the trinket nor to keep so valuable an article over night. "I don't want to take it. Give it to the principal or keep it until tomorrow morning."

But the prncipal had gone home some time before, and both the janitor and Marcia had forgotten that, the day being Friday, there would be no school sessions tomorrow. So Marcia, girlishly willing, if not glad, to wear the lovely thing home and keep it overnight, was sorely troubled upon reaching home to remember that she must either retain it until Monday or find some means of getting it to its owner.

On Saturday night Marcia, after having tired herself out by unavailing efforts to find Evelyn, was compelled to return home with the ring still in her possession. Next morning she awoke to find her mother very ill with a diphtheritic sore throat. Three weeks later, almost before the mother was able to sit up, Marcia herself came down with the same disease. So it was nearly two months before she entered the Hammond school again, and in all that time she had hardly thought of the diamond ring at all. When she had remembered it, during the intervals of her own and her mother's illness, she had intended to write a letter to the principal of the school suggesting tha Evelyn come after ring, but this she had neglected to do, being overworked and weary, until she was so nearly ready to return to school that such a course seemed unnecessary. Finally she resolved that the simplest plan of all would be to retain the ring until able to return it personally.



"A BEAUTIFUL RING."

Evelyn Gorton, meanwhile, had not missed the ring until some time after reaching home that afternoon, and had not then remembered where she had lost it. Advertisements asking for its return and promising a reward for this action were inserted in all the papers by her father, but these, as Marcia never saw them, were of no avail. At last she gave up the ring for hopelessly lost, never thinking of having left it at school until some weeks after missing it.

Then, one morning as she stood waiting for a comrade in the basement, the janitor casually remarked that he supposed she had got her ring all right. Explanations followed and Evelyn at once jumped to the conclusion that Marcia had stolen her ring.

"I always knew there was something queer about her, she was so unnaturally quiet and still!" she exclaimed, not remembering that no opportunity had been given quiet, retiring Marcia to be anything else. "She's just a thief, that's all she is, and she stayed away from school all this time just because she doesn't dare come back!"

"Hush, hush, hush! Marcia has been ill," commanded the principal, when Evelyn dashed into the office with her excited story. "That is, she was ill two weeks ago, when I sent to find out the cause of her absence. I know she is!" There was another rush to the office to find out Marcia's address, but Miss Strong refused to give it.

"Let me hear no more of such words as 'thief' and 'dishonest,'" she said, sternly. "I will look into the matter, Evelyn, as I told you. In the meantime, let nothing more be said."

But a great deal more was said, despite the principal's command. Before school closed that afternoon the report that Marcia had stolen the diamond ring had spread all through the school. It was discussed by knots of excited girls and boys upon the playground that afternoon, and again just as eagerly the next morning. When school was presently opened and it was supposed that nothing had been heard about the ring, a state of excitement but poorly suppressed reigned everywhere. And in the midst of all this, just as they were vainly trying to draw their attention from Evelyn's crimson cheeks and flashing eyes to the lesson in hand, the door opened and Marcia herself walked in. Distressed at being late, and evidently a little nervous herself, she made her way quietly to her seat and opened her books. Almost before this had happened, however, Evelyn was upon her feet and wildly signaling the teacher.

"Where is my ring?" she asked Marcia, as the teacher merely looked at her quietly and gave no permission to speak. "Where is the ring that you stole from me?"

Marcia, looking at her in open and undisguised astonishment, turned pale at the sound of the word 'stole.'

"Do you mean to say?" she inquired in her turn, after a moment or two of horrified silence on the part of all concerned, "that you think I stole your ring?"

"Of course you stole it," he sponded Evelyn, angrily, and losing all control of herself in her passion. "Tell me where it is or I'll have you arrested right away!"

For answer, Marcia, who had arisen to her feet when confronted by Evelyn's accusation, sank slowly to her seat and turned her attention to her books. She was pallid with anger, trembling with warmth and indignation, but she kept herself well in hand. Evelyn also sat down; she was too weak with excitement to stand up longer. No further word was spoken until Miss Strong, whose coming at that hour was unusual, stepped quietly into the room. At sight of the flushed and nervous faces turned toward her she stopped and looked inquiringly at the teacher, who briefly explained the recent occurrence, and Miss Strong's own face took on an unusually brilliant color. She mounted the platform and faced the pupils with an air of stern indignation.

"There has been a great, a terrible injustice done here this morning," she said, slowly, "and I am greatly ashamed that any pupil of the Hammond school should have been so unkind, as well as so wicked. Miss Gorton's ring was returned to me by Miss Andrews this morning; it would have been returned to Miss Gorton long ago, as I have ample proof, if it had been possible for the unwilling retainer of the ring to find Miss Gorton.

"Miss Andrews," addressing Marcia, with courteous kindness, "Miss Gorton will, of course, apologize to you promptly for her injustice and unkindness."

"It's just the way they've acted all along," said Marcia, stung to bitter speech by the remembrance of her winter's loneliness, culminating in this dreadful accusation. "I wanted to come to the city so badly," she went on, barely choking back the tears which told in her voice if not her eyes, "and it's been perfectly awful. I've been the loneliest girl in school all winter, and now"—breaking down entirely—"they think I'd steal!"

"No, we don't, Marcia, we don't, indeed!" cried Evelyn, as warm hearted and quick to repent as she was impulsively ready to jump at conclusions, "we don't dearie. I never really thought so myself. I was only so anxious to get my ring back, and it looked so queer that you'd keep it, and I got so excited and angry. Please forgive me," she whispered, throwing her arms around the sobbing Marcia and kissing her warmly, "and forget that I was ever so mean."

The storm had all blown over a few minutes later, when Marcia and Evelyn, who had both been excused, unasked, by Miss Strong, for the rest of the day, went down the stairway together. It was the first time which they had ever done so, arm in arm, and they have been fast friends ever since.
—Ethel Maude Colson.

He Took No Chances.

It was at Bath Beach the day of the blizzard. He came into the store about two hours later than his ordinary arriving time and remarked that considerable snow had fallen. Then he took off his overcoat. "I believe in taking no chances," he remarked. Then he wormed himself out of a sweater. "It's very easy to catch cold," he said, apologetically. Then he sat down and removed an old pair of trousers which he had put on over the one pair usually sufficient. Then he took off his rubbers. "Wet feet are a frequent source of trouble," he said, and then slowly drew off a huge pair of leggins. Then he resumed his undercoat and stood forth an ordinary man.—Brooklyn Eagle.

YESTERDAY'S MARKETS.

Quotations on Chicago Board of Trade —Live Stock Report.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Bullish sentiment made a hard struggle today to establish a footing for itself on the board of trade, more especially in the wheat market; but went up against a lot of hard-headed people who did not happen to be in a sentimental frame of mind. After an advance of ⅜c May wheat closed at about that much decline, the latest regular trading being at 70½@70⅝c. and before the crowd got out of the pit there were sellers at 70½. May rested at 70½@70⅝c bid. July at 68⅝c sellers. Exporters took 49 loads at the coast.

Corn eased off with wheat, but future, nevertheless, closed steady to a fraction firmer. May rested at 36⅞@37c bid. At the coast 38 loads were worked. Other chief speculative markets closed almost precisely at same prices they did yesterday.

Quotations were:

Articles—	High.	Low.	—Closing— Jan.19.	Jan. 18.
Wheat—				
Jan.	$ .71¼	$ .70½	$ .70⅝	$ .70⅞
July	.69⅛	.68⅝	.68⅝	.68⅞
Corn—				
Jan.	.....	.....	.34¾	.34⅝
May	.37¼	.36¾	.36⅞	.36⅞
July	.37⅝	.37⅛	.37¼	.37¼
Oats—				
Jan.	.....	.....	.26⅜	.26¼
May	.27⅞	.27⅜	.27⅝	.27½
July	.26⅜	.26⅛	.26⅛	.26⅛
Pork—				
Jan.	.....	.....	9.87½	9.87½
May	10.17½	10.10	10.12½	10.12½
Lard—				
Jan.	.....	.....	5.55	5.52½
May	5.80	5.75	5.77½	5.75
Short Ribs—				
Jan.	.....	.....	4.75	4.75
May	5.07½	5.05	5.05	5.05
July	.....	.....	5.17½	5.15

Chicago Live Stock Markets.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—Fair receipts of cattle and hogs found sale at stronger prices to-day, and a heavy run of sheep went close to the level of Wednesday's sales. Many cattle sold 10c higher, and hogs average close to 5c higher. Receipts were estimated at 8,500 cattle, 28,000 hogs, and 16,000 sheep, making 40,035 cattle, 132,232 hogs and 78,968 sheep for the week thus far, against 39,891 cattle, 116,776 hogs and 76,573 sheep for the same time last week, and 46,901 cattle, 130,466 hogs and 68,-172 sheep for the same time last year. Late hog trade had weak tone, as usual, but the supply was more closely bought up than the night before and offerings in other branches were quite closely bought up.

KANSAS COAL STRIKE OVER.

Successful Arbitration of Differences Returns Men to Work.

Leavenworth, Kas., Jan. 20.—The mine owners and strikers of the North Leavenworth shaft, where 320 men are employed, have settled their differences by arbitration. A proposition agreed upon by a committee was ratified whereby the miners returned to work today, and the coal sent up for a certain number of days will be weighed and recorded as the mine run. It will then be run over lawful screens, and the shale removed and a second recording weight made.

The difference is to form the percentage to be deducted from mine-run coal in the future. The officers of the Home and Riverside shafts have announced that they will grant the same terms, and the strike is over.

Boat Crew for Paris.

New York, Jan. 20.—It is not unlikely that the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen may send this year's winning eight-oared shell crew to the Paris exposition to compete in the international regatta there next year. Whether or not a crew shall be sent to Paris will be considered at the annual meeting of the national association, to be held at the Marlborough hotel in this city on Saturday night. The meeting will be an open one, so that any oarsman not a member of the association may attend and take part in the discussion.

Message from Gen. Rios.

Madrid, Jan. 20.—A telegram from Gen. Rios, the Spanish commander, who arrived at Manila some time ago, having evacuated the Visayas islands and part of the island of Mindanao, has been received at the war office, but strict secrecy concerning it is maintained.

The remains of Capt. Bustamente, Admiral Cervera's chief of staff, who lost his life at Santiago, arrived at Cadiz yesterday and were interred in the Pantheon, where are entombed the bodies of other illustrious sailors.

Do Not Want to Return.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 20.—Gov. Mount said yesterday that if any effort is making to secure the muster-out of the One Hundred and Sixty-first Indiana regiment, now at Havana, he had not been notified of it. Col. W. T. Durbin, in a letter, said the regiment did not wish to come home.

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Unworthy of Citizenship.

Albany, Jan. 20.—Gov. Roosevelt has stated that he refused to grant an application for restoration to citizenship of a man who has served out his term in prison for connection with the Gravesend election frauds of John Y. McKane. The governor would not give the name of the applicant, but said he did not think a man convicted of crimes against the ballot box should be restored to citizenship for some years after he had served out his term of imprisonment.

Cashier Dorsey Found Guilty.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 20.—Frank M. Dorsey, formerly cashier of the failed First National bank of Ponca, Neb., was found guilty in the federal court on thirteen counts, charging making false reports to the controller, misappropriation of the bank's funds and other irregularities. He is a brother of ex-Congressman George W. E. Dorsey who was president of the bank, and was tried and acquitted of complicity in the failure.

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No Change in the Situation.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 20.—The second session of the joint convention to elect a United States senator was held Thursday, but there was no change in the situation. The vote was practically the same, Quay having one less than yesterday, by reason of the absence of Representative Weaver of Lancaster, who is sick.

STORIES OF RELIEF.

Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. John Williams, Englishtown N. J., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I cannot begin to tell you how I suffered before taking your remedies. I was so weak that I could hardly walk across the floor without falling. I had womb trouble and such a bearing-down feeling; also suffered with my back and limbs, pain in womb, inflammation of the bladder, piles and indigestion. Before I had taken one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt a great deal better, and after taking two and one-half bottles and half a box of your Liver Pills I was cured. If more would take your medicine they would not have to suffer so much."

Mrs. Joseph Peterson, 513 East St., Warren, Pa., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I have suffered with womb trouble over fifteen years. I had inflammation, enlargement and displacement of the womb. I had the backache constantly, also headache, and was so dizzy. I had heart trouble, it seemed as though my heart was in my throat at times choking me. I could not walk around and I could not lie down, for then my heart would beat so fast I would feel as though I was smothering. I had to sit up in bed nights in order to breathe. I was so weak I could not do anything.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court For Rock County—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 21st day of February, 1899, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Charles A. Carter for the adjustment and allowance of his account as executor of the will of Almerin M. Carter, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as by law and the will of said deceased are entitled thereto.—Dated, January 19th. 1899.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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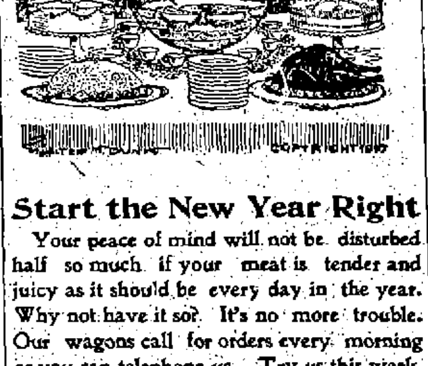

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CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago	4:30 am	12:15 am
Chgo Via Clinton*	6:40 am	9:30 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:35 am	7:45 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	7:20 pm	12:40 am
Chgo Via Beloit, and Harvard	7:00 am	6:55 am
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 pm	11:40 am
Beloit, Rockford,—DeKalb Freeport, Omaha, Denver all Nebraska & Ia. points	2:10 pm 8:25 am	
Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere	7:25 pm	
Watertown, Fond du Lac Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 pm	12:15 pm
Watertown & Juneau Fr'gh	4:00 pm	
Watertown	7:55 pm	7:50 am
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison, Elroy, La Crosse, Winona and points in Minn. & Dakota	6:08 am	7:20 pm
Evansville, Madison, Elroy LaCrosse, Winona & St. Paul	11:00 am	2:50 pm
Leyden, Follows, Ev'nsville Brooklyn, Oregon Mad'sn	8:00 pm	8:20 am
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul & Duluth	12:35 am	6:30 am
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul Winona & Dak.....*	12:45 am	7:20 pm
Ev'sville, Madison & Elroy§	7:30 am	
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard§	2:15 pm	1:05 pm
Watertown, Fond du Lac, Oshkosh and points north	7:00 am	10:40 pm
Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb..		10:20 pm 7:50 pm
Chicago, Beloit and Harvard	7:00 am	6:55 pm

* Daily § Sunday only

CHICAGO, MIL. & ST. P.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	7:00 a m §1:10 p m	7:25 p m 12:50 p m
Rockford and Beloit		9:15 a m
Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago†	7:00 a m .... 10:45 a m 4:35 p m	9:30 a m †10:15 pm 5:25 p m 7:40 p m
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	9:40 a m 4:35 p m	9:17 a m 11:30 a m
Madison	7:00 p m	5:25 p m
Edgerton, Stoughton, Madison, Lone Rock, Richland Center, Prairie du Chien, McGregor, Portage, La Crosse, Winona, St. Paul, and Minneapolis	4:35 p m	
Iowa, Minnesota North and South Dakota, St. Paul, and Minneapolis, through sleeper and reclining chair cars via. McGregor —daily except Saturday	†9:25 p m	9:17 a m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	†9:35 a m †11:30a m	4:00 p m ....
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Delavan, Elkhorn and Racine	11:30 a m	6:00 p m 9:15 a m 12:50 p m
Kansas City through train Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia.	*2:30 p m †2:30 p m	†9:15 a m
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train. Also Dubuque	6:30 p m	4:10 p m 6:00 p m 9:15 a m
Monroe and Mineral Point	9:30 a m 6:10 p m	4:35 p m ....
Monroe and Mineral Point	§10:00a m 6:10 p m	9:25 a m
Monroe and Mineral Pt. mixed	.... 8:00 a m	4:35 p m
Milton and Milton Junction mixed train	§8:00 a m	8:30 p m
	....	‡6:10 p m

*Daily.
†Daily except Sunday.
‡Except Saturday.
§Sunday only.

MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART

JANESVILLE MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Chicago, East, West, Southwest	6:00 am	9:00 am
North and Northwest	7:35 am	10:00 am
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 am	12:20 am
Chicago, North, East, West and General	: 0 pm	
Chicago, East and all points North and West	:00 pm 11:30 am	8:00 pm
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 am	
North, Northwest, Etc.	7:20 pm	7:00 pm
MONDAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and South		7:00 pm
STAGE MAILS.		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 am	2:30 pm
Emerald Grove and Fairfield	11:00 am	2:00 am

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...LATE NEWS BY TELEGRAPH...

SPOKE ON HIS OWN BEHALF.

Senator Foraker Explains His Recent Philippine Speech.

NOT THE PRESIDENT'S WORDS.

Ohio Statesman Corrects the Rumor That He Was Acting as the Representative of the Administration—Amendment to the Nicaragua Canal Bill.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The senate listened further Thursday to a discussion of the policy of expansion. Mr. Turner (Wash., pop.) delivered a carefully prepared speech on the Vest resolution. The speech was for the most part a constitutional argument in which Mr. Turner took issue with Senator Platt and Senator Foraker upon their recent utterances.

At the conclusion of Mr. Turner's argument Mr. Foraker took some sharp exceptions to statements made in the speech, especially those referring to him personally. He explained at length the nature of his statements, declaring among other things that he had spoken only for himself and had had no intention or desire to pose as the representative of the administration, so far as his utterances were concerned.

The Nicaragua canal bill was under consideration nearly three hours. After much debate a substitute presented by Mr. Morgan (Ala.) for the bond amendment offered by Mr. Allison was adopted. It is as follows: "That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and required to limit the payments of the appropriation made in this act so that such payments shall not exceed the sum of $20,000,000 in any fiscal year."

The last hour of the session was occupied in discussion of several amendments offered by Mr. Caffery of Louisiana, all of which were defeated.

NO MONEY FOR PNEUMATIC TUBES.

Features in Postoffice Appropriation Bill Suffer in the House.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The house Thursday practically decided the Brown-Swanson contested-election case from the Fifth Virginia district in favor of the sitting member, Mr. Swanson, a democrat, by declining to consider the case. The postoffice appropriation bill was then taken up. The greatest surprise of the day was the adoption of two amendments striking out of the bill the appropriation of $171,000 for the fast southern mail, and $25,000 for special mail facilities from Kansas City to Newton, Kas. This appropriation for the southern mail has been fought annually for six or seven years, but has always been retained.

The increase in the appropriation for the pneumatic-tube service from $225,000 to $300,000 was knocked out by the elimination of the provision, which fell under a point of order, for the repeal of the law against the extension of this service. The house adjourned with a motion to recommit it pending. The motion carried instructions to strike out the words "newly acquired territory" in connection with an appropriation of $300,000 for mail facilities in Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines.

Notice Served Upon Eagan.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Gen. Eagan was served with legal notice of the ordering of a court-martial for his trial just before the close of office hours Thursday. This notice was delivered by the messenger of the adjutant-general in the usual course, and had the effect to relieve Gen. Eagan of his duties as commissary-general of the United States army, pending the conclusion of the court-martial. The office was placed in charge of Lieut.-Col. George B. Davis, who has been on duty there for some time as assistant to Gen. Eagan.

Why Strong Force Is Needed.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Gen. Leonard Wood told the senate committee on military affairs that his estimate of 30,000 soldiers as necessary to be kept in Cuba was so large because the climate caused so much malaria and other sickness that not over 35 to 40 per cent of the force may be capable of effectual aggressive action.

Col. Sexton Is No Better.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Col. James A. Sexton of Chicago, who is ill at Garfield hospital, passed an unfavorable day Thursday. For a time he was delirious. The weakness caused by the grip has developed a latent kidney trouble. He is said to be suffering intensely.

Read Out of Silver Party.

Carson, Nev., Jan. 20.—Affairs have taken a lively turn in the senatorial fight. The state central committee of the silver party held a meeting and deposed Chairman W. E. Sharon. He was then read out of the party by a vote of 24 to 14. Congressman Newlands was similarly treated by a vote of 29 to 15. Sharon and eleven members of the committee left the room and formed a new committee. The matter will be taken to the courts for settlement. Sharon and Newlands are charged with treachery to the platform which indorsed Stewart for Senator.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE HOUSE.

Another Batch of New Legislation—Two Sessions Held.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—Two sessions were held by the house Thursday. The one at 10 o'clock lasted long enough for the reading of the journal, when, upon motion of Mr. Lyon, a recess was taken until 5 o'clock, for the purpose of giving Speaker Sherman time to complete the making up of the committees. At the afternoon session the following bills were introduced and referred to the proper committees: Mr. Lyon, providing that insurance companies shall pay the full value of the policy in case of a total loss; Mr. McGoorty, to amend the disarmament clause of the military code so as to provide that independent civil organizations may drill and carry arms upon permission from the governor, and any ensign, provided they carry an American flag.

In the senate after the list of committee assignments had been reported and adopted, Senator Granger offered a resolution of condolence on the death of ex-Senator George Kirk of Waukegan, who died at his home Nov. 19, 1898. Senator Kirk was a member of the Thirty-second and Thirty-third general assemblies. The resolution was adopted by a rising vote. The bills introduced were as follows: Senator Gardner, revising the mining law; this is the measure which has been agreed upon by the miners and operators; another providing for the incorporation of free employment agencies; Senator Funderburk, providing for county uniformity of text books.

LARGEST GUNS IN AMERICA.

Ordnance Department Wants Allotment to Make 18-Inch Weapons.

New York, Jan. 20.—A special to the Herald from Washington says serious consideration is being given by the ordnance department of the army to a request for an allotment of $65,000 to be expended in the construction of an eighteen-inch gun, submitted by the promoters of the Gathmann system of firing high explosives.

If the request is granted the eighteen-inch gun will be the largest modern weapon ever manufactured in this country. It will accommodate the huge Gathmann shell, which will contain about 400 pounds of high explosive. The gun is to be 400 calibers in length, a single tube weapon and jacketed.

Librarian of Congress.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The appointment of a successor to the late John Russell Young as librarian of Congress is furnishing food for gossip. The names of ex-newspaper men figure prominently. Private Secretary of the President John Addison Porter has taken pains to state that he does not want the job. He would love to be governor of Connecticut, and in spite of his failure in one attempt inclines to the advice of friends who tell him he is destined to grace the office some day. Thomas G. Alvord, who is in charge of the art gallery at the library, is mentioned for the place. Mr. Alvord was formerly in charge of the Washington bureau of the New York World and the New York Herald. George Alfred Townsend, also an old newspaper man now connected with the library, is talked of for the place.

Money for German Colonies.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—The budget committee has unanimously adopted the Kiao Chou estimate of 8,500,000 marks, voted by the reichstag committee on colonial appropriations. This action means that the government will put into immediate execution a series of modern improvements in the German colonies of China, urgently demanded by the Kaiser in his speech opening the reichstag.

In Memory of Robert E. Lee.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 20.—The birthday of Gen. Robert E. Lee was celebrated in all the leading cities Thursday by the Societies of the Army and Navy of the Confederate States and Daughters of the Confederacy. In the evening banquets were the feature. Many of the prominent men of the south delivered addresses. In most cities business was suspended in honor of the day.

Judge May Be Impeached.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 20.—A resolution has been introduced in the house of the general assembly of North Carolina looking to the impeachment of W. L. Norwood, judge of superior court in the Twelfth judicial district, on the charge of drunkenness. A committee will be appointed to investigate the advisability of impeachment and report back to the house.

Dinner to Justice Brewer.

London, Jan. 20.—Associate Justice David J. Brewer of the United States supreme court, who is now in London on his way to Paris to attend the meeting of the Venezuelan boundary commission, of which he is a member, was the guest of honor at a dinner given by the benchers of the Middle Temple.

Excursion to Sioux Falls, S. D.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round trip excursion tickets to Sioux Falls, S. D., at half January 21 to 24, inclusive, good for return until January 31, 1899. The occasion is the Annual Convention of National Creamery Butter Makers' Association.

MINERS CONTINUE FIGHT.

Conference with the Operators Has No Result.

TWO WAGE SCALES PRESENTED

Certain That No Agreement Can Be Reached Unless Both Sides Modify the Position Taken — The Mine Owners Insist Upon the Ten-Hour Day.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 20.—At the interstate conference of mine operators and miners Thursday two scales were presented. There had been a meeting between the joint scale committees in the morning, at which both scales were introduced, and it was decided to refer them to the convention as a whole for discussion. The scales are at such variance that it is certain n agreement can be reached on either of them as they stand at the present time. The scale as presented by the operators says:

"The operators favor a double-standard scale—uniform screens. That the scale committee be instructed to stand for the ten-hour day. That the scale price the operators shall present to the convention shall be 56 cents a ton, one and a fourth inch screens, or a 10-cent reduction."

This is what the miners have to say on their scale sheet:

"Resolved, That all coal mined in the competitive districts represented in this convention shall be paid for on a pick run of mine basis, except block coal of Indiana; that we ask 7½ cents a ton advance on a run of mine basis on present prices in Hocking Valley; that the scale for miners for the ensuing year, commencing April 1, 1899, and concluding March 31, 1900, shall be $2.35 for eight hours each, based on a pick mining scale of 40 cents a ton, mine run, and that the employing company furnish the necessary powder to do said work; that the price in Indiana be increased 3 cents a ton on mine run over adopted scale, and that all districts now working under the scale price be raised to their relative position."

To get the matter before the convention, President John Mitchell of the miners' organization moved that the scale as presented by the miners be adopted. F. L. Robbins, representing the Pennsylvania operators, amended by striking out the word miners and substituting operators. Both motions were declared defeated on account of tie votes. President Mitchell, for the miners, moved that the question of the eight-hour day be first taken up, and this was agreed to.

The meeting continued in session until 6 o'clock and then adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

DEADLOCK AT MADISON.

Eleven Ballots Taken—No Change in the Last Session.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 20.—Signs of a dead-lock developed at the republican caucus Thursday, and seven ballots were taken without any change in the vote. When the caucus finally adjourned the situation remained almost the same. The open ballot taken placed the members on record as to their choice of candidates, and when adjournment was taken shortly after midnight the candidates and their managers started in to secure new supporters. The Stephenson men were especially active, and many of them were about the headquarters until 4 o'clock this morning and then again among the members at the opening of the morning session. By the change from secret to open ballot their man lost eleven votes, while Quarles gained nine.

As a result of the ballots taken yesterday Quarles had 42 votes and Stephenson 24 when the caucus adjourned until the evening. Several of the Milwaukee members left Quarles during the voting and went to Stephenson. Eleven ballots were taken during the afternoon, but there was no change in the last seven.

Costs the State $500 a Day.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—T. J. Downey, sheriff of Christian county, visited Gov. Tanner Thursday and discussed with him the situation at Pana. Mr. Downey reported to the governor that the union miners had agreed to give up their arms if the operators would do likewise, and that the latter had declined to disarm their men. Gov. Tanner told Sheriff Downey that it was costing the state about $500 a day to keep the troops there, but that he did not see how they could compel the companies to surrender the arms to the civil authorities.

Bishop Rademacher Insane.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—The Rt.-Rev. Bishop Rademacher of the Catholic diocese of Fort Wayne, Ind., was brought to the city last night and placed in the Alexian Brothers' hospital for treatment for insanity. It is thought that his mind will be restored in a month or so.

The bargain seekers should not miss the dainty luncheons served in the dining rooms The Mrs. Clark Co., 151–153 Wabash ave., Chicago. The establishment has recently been refitted, improved and enlarged. It caters to the best,—not only in patronage but in the quality of the food, and in the service Everything is home-like.

Nervous Dyspepsia

To Gain Flesh, to Sleep Well, to Know What Appetite and Good Digestion Mean.

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No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think their nerves are to blame and are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines. The real seat of the mischief is lost sight of. The stomach is the organ to be looked after.

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It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any stomach weakness or disease except cancer of the stomach. They cure sour stomach, gas, loss of flesh and appetite, sleeplessness, palpitation, heartburn, constipation and headache.

Send for valuable little book on stomach disease by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. All druggists sell full-sized packages at 50 cents. Prof. Henry W. Becker, A. M., the well known religious worker and writer of St. Louis.

Secretary of the Mission Board of the German Methodist church, Chief Clerk and Expert Accountant for the Harbor and Wharf Commission. Public Secretary for the St. Louis School Patrons' Association, and the District Conference of Stewards of the M. E. church; also takes an active part in the work of the Epworth League, and to write on religious and educational topics for several magazines. How he found relief is best told in his own words:

"Some weeks ago my brother heard me say something about indigestion, and taking a box from his pocket said 'Try Stuart's Tablets.' I did, and was promptly relieved. Then I investigated the nature of the tablets and became satisfied that they were made of just the right things and in just the right proportions to aid in the assimilation of food. I heartily endorse them in all respects, and I keep them constantly on hand."

A famous dish for breakfast, keeps the whole family well, costs 35 cents, one package of Rocky Mountain Tea. Smith's Pharmacy, kodak agents.

Additional Home Seekers' Excursion.

Home seekers' excursion round trip tickets to points in southern, southwestern, western and northern states on other lines; and points in Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas on its own lines will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway on Jan. 17, Feb. 7 and 21, at half fare plus $2. Tickets are limited to twenty-one days for return passage.

A Card

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50c bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guartee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. People's Drug Co. H.E. Ranous & Co.

Better Outlook at Manila.

Venice, Jan. 20.—The semi-official Gazetta di Venezia published a cablegram from Manila which indicates that the situation there is less threatening. The dispatch adds that the American dollar is beginning to have its natural effect on the Filipinos.

Pope Ill with Influenza.

London, Jan. 20.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Rome says the pope is suffering from a slight attack of influenza, which Dr. Lapponi, his physician, says is not dangerous and is not likely to be so unless complications arise.

La grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Sheperd, publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Elden Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for la grippe." Pleasant to take. Quick to act. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Horrible agony is caused by Piles, Burns and Skin Diseases. These are immediately relieved and quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless imitations. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee.

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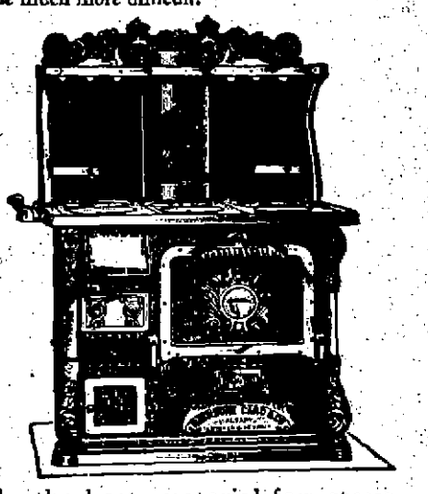

Has a steel oven. Its wonderful heating and baking qualities place it far in advance of all other cast ranges. It is absolutely guaranteed to bake biscuit in twelve minutes from the time the fire is started and will do all its work in the same proportionate time. We have never yet failed to please any person on these Ranges.

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Vitos Breakfast Food, made by Pillsbury mills, very fine, 15c package; 2 for 25c
Cream of Wheat Food, a very choice article, per package - - 15c
Wheatlet, a food that has received many many testimonials, 15c package; 2 for 25c
Granose Flakes; they enrich the blood; a delicious food for invalids, etc., 15c package; 2 for - - 25c
Wheatena, a food you have often heard of, per package - - 25c
Whole Wheat Shredded Biscuits, an article not generally carried, that is very nice for invalids, etc, 15c package, 2 for - 25c
Franklin Whole Wheat Flour, claimed by many to be the best on the market, per package, 30c, per bag, 40c
Rye Flour, a superior milling, 25 lb. sack - - - 50c
Faribault Graham Flour, per sack - - - 25c
White Rose Graham Flour, made by Warren & Tomkins, of Albany, Wis, from White Organ Winter Wheat, per sack - - - 25c
Hornby's H. O. Oats; you have seen them advertised; per package - 15c
Quaker Rolled Oats, known to every family, 15c package; 2 for - - 25c
Richelieu Rolled Oats, the name is a guarantee of quality, 15c package; 2 for 25c
Richelieu Pastry Flour for angel foods and other cakes, an exceptionally good article, 5 lb. package, per package - 25c

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We also carry in stock the following bulk Cereal Foods:

Portland White Cracked Wheat, per pound, - - - - 5c
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Cracked Southern White Corn Hominy per pound, - - - - - 3c
Southern White Corn Meal, per pound, - - - - - 3c
"Gold Dust" Yellow Corn Meal, per pound, - - - - - 3c

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Postum Cereal, the best known cereal coffee out per package - - 15 and 25c
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BRIEF BITS OF HUMOR.

ITS SAD HISTORY.

The Fate of a Relic Long In the Family.

It was only an umbrella.

It had been in the family for many years.

In the proud days of its prosperity and beauty it had stood in a place of honor in the hallway.

It was never lent.

Two cheap umbrellas were kept for lending purposes, being replaced from time to time by other cheap ones when this was rendered necessary by the forgetfulness of borrowers.

As it frequently was.

But age, which creeps upon all things alike, animate and inanimate, overtook that umbrella, and it was hung up in the kitchen entry and forgotten.

There it remained several years.

One day, however, in the glad, cheerful, joyous season of fall housecleaning, some one spied that old umbrella in the darkened corner, where it had been suspended, unnoticed, so long.

"Why not take it down and throw it on the ash heap in the alley?" was asked.

The old umbrella was taken from its long resting place.

It was partly opened, and the following things were brought to light:

One clothespin, supernnuated.
Seventeen cockroaches.
Portion of a clothesline.
More cockroaches.
Empty blacking box, quite rusted out.
Cockroaches.
Broken tack hammer.
More cockroaches.
Lump of putty, hard and yellow.
Still more cockroaches.
Rubber overshoe, entirely useless.
More cockroaches still.
Together with a lot of cockroaches.

Gently, but firmly, the old umbrella was carried out to the back yard, and a bonfire was built in its honor.

The place of distinction in that bonfire was reserved for the old umbrella itself.

And when the conflagration was over and the smoke had cleared away the wind whistled mournfully through the bare ribs of a once glorious fabric, and the air was heavy even yet with the burden of a frightful holocaust.

This teaches that a thing is not necessarily a closed incident because it is shut up.—Chicago Tribune.

Another Fugitive.

"I haven't spoken to my wife for weeks," said the meek man.

"Oh, quarreled?" said the big man.

"No, not exactly, but we've got a baby, and she tells me all about it when I come home of a night, so that I don't get a chance of saying a word. She told me last night that when he felt his first [illegible]"—

"Goodby," said the big man and disappeared.—Pick Me Up.

Not the House.

A couple of friends were walking in the suburbs when one who had been away for some time asked:

"Is that house over there the one Snyder had built for his mother-in-law?"

"Of course not. Don't you see it has a lightning rod on it?"—New York World.

A Rank Outsider.

"Why wouldn't they admit Scribely to membership in the New York War Correspondents' club?"

"They said he wasn't eligible. It appears that he simply described what was done by the fighters instead of telling the government how to run things."—Chicago News.

In Dublin.

Employer—Why didn't you come when I rang?

Office Boy—Because I didn't hear the bell.

"Hereafter, when you don't hear the bell, you must come and tell me so!"

"Yes, sir," was the dutiful answer.

The Difference.

The Judge—I want you to understand, sir, that justice in this court is like love—it is blind.

Rebuked Attorney—It may be so, your honor, but the resemblance ends right there. Love keeps on hitting the mark occasionally.—Chicago News.

Run Down.

Bughouse Bill—The bicycle mail rider of Terror gulch had a mishap last night.

The Barkeep—Puncture?

Bughouse Bill—Yep. Right behind the left ear. — Philadelphia North American.

A Wise Move.

Mrs. Smith—Wasn't it rather foolish of Mrs. Jones to marry again and forfeit her pension?

Mrs. Brown—Not at all. The man she married has a larger pension than the late Mr. Jones.—New York Journal.

Who Knows?

Major—I hear Brobson is engaged to Miss Muchmun.

Minor—Yes. He doesn't act like a man in love, does he?

Major (thoughtfully)—Maybe he is only in debt.—Town Topics.

Getting Even.

Mattie—That idiotic young Softleigh had the audacity to propose to me last night.

Helen—Did he, really? I always thought he was a little off in the upper story.—Chicago News.

High Lights.

The credulous being may be silly, but he never gets bitter.

If you want a thing done quickly, tell a small boy not to do it.

The long winded man is the hot box of agreeable conversation.

Where a new hat is concerned all women believe in love at first sight.

We learn more from our own failures than from the whole world's successes.

Occupation is nature's physician, and she pays wages instead of sending in a bill.

It is a brave man who comes home wearing a new fall hat before his wife gets one.

Women always put garden seed away so carefully that they have to buy new seed every year.

No show on earth is considered a success unless it gives man three times the worth of his money.—Chicago Record.

Commercially Expressed.

"That man seems to take a great deal of interest in his work," remarked the junior partner, "although he hasn't accomplished much."

"Yes," answered the crusty capitalist, "he's a positive usurer. He can get more interest out of less actual capital than anybody else I ever saw."—Washington Star.

He Got It.

Weary Willie—Say, Dusty, you wants to strike dat house frum yer wisitin list.

Dusty Rhodes—Why?

Weary Willie—Cos I axed for hot sausage, en dey sicked de dog on me.—Philadelphia Press.

Proof Positive.

"So Miss Boreum would hardly believe you when you told her I was not at home. What did you say?"

"Sure, then, I towld her not to belaive me; if she wanted, I'd have yerself come right down and prove it to her."—Brooklyn Life.

Not That Sort.

Mr. Parvenu—My dear, did you intend to leave them prices on them pictures in the parlor?

Mrs. Parvenu—Yes, I want folks to see I ain't no vulgar bargain fiend.—Detroit Journal.

Still at It.

"By claiming Manila poor old Spain shows she means to play a losin' game to the last."

"A losing game?"

"Yes, a Luzon game."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Cleanliness.

Daughter—Mamma, the chimney sweep on the roof has just kissed his hand to me.

Mother—How shocking! Run at once into the bedroom and wash your face.—Der Schalk.

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All Tinware	20	All Jewelry	20
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